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Chronological Roll of the North Indiana Conference.

The non-effective are in *italics*; the figures prefixed to the names indicate the year of entering the traveling ministry.

1837—*G. W. Bowers.*
1838—*G. Havens.*
1838—*D. F. Stright.*
1838—*W. Wilson.*
1839—E. Holdstock.
1841—*H. N. Barns.*
1841—*J. C. Medsker.*
1841—M. Mahin.
1842—*W Anderson.*
1843—*L. W. Monson.*
1844—*J. Harrison.*
1845—*J. W. Smith.*
1847—*R. A. Newton.*
1847—*E. S. Preston.*
1849—W. S. Birch.
1849—J. C. White.
1850—*A. Greenman.*
1850—*L. Roberts.*
1851—*N. Gillam.*
1851—*B. Smith.*
1851—J. W. Welch.
1852—T. Stabler.
1853—*J. Johnston.*
1853—*J. Maffit.*
1853—*H. J. Lacey.*
1853—N. H. Phillips.
1853—*R. D Spellman.*
1853—*A. G. McCarter.*
1853—N. D Shackelford.
1854—J. S. McCarty.
1854—R. M. Barns.
1855—*H. Woolpert.*
1855—E. P. Church.
1855—S. L. Bowman.
1856—*J. H. McMahon.*
1856—*M. H. Mendenhall.*
1856—*P. Carland.*
1856—*M Wayman.*
1857—*R. Tobey.*
1857—*J. W. Miller.*
1858—*E. M. Baker.*
1858—C. W. Lynch.
1859—C. E. Disbro.
1859—E. F. Hasty.
1859—*J. P. Nash.*
1859—F. T. Simpson.
1859—*J. W. Lowry.*
1859—*M. A. Tengue.*
1859—W. E. McCarty.
1860—W. J. Vigus.
1860—*Y. B. Meredith.*
1861—M. S. Metts.
1861—*T. Sells.*
1862—F. A. Fish.
1862—J. L. Ramsay.
1863—C. G. Hudson.
1864—J. E. Ervin.
1864—*N. T. Peddycord.*
1865—A. H. Currie.
1865—S. J. McElwee.
1865—*W. O. Pierce.*
1865—B. A. Kemp.
1866—*W. E. Curtis.*
1866—*W. Lash.*
1867—*S. C. Miller.*
1867—*W. H. Pierce.*
1867—W. Peck.
1867—*D. D. Powell.*

1868—T. H. C. Beall.
1868—H. N. Herrick.
1868—*W. R. Jordan.*
1868—L. A. Retts.
1868—C. H. Wilkinson.
1868—O. S. Harrison.
1869—W. F. Walker.
1869—*F. A. Robinson.*
1869—A. E. Mahin.
1869—A. Cone.
1869—*T. J Elkin.*
1870—A. C. Gerard.
1870—G. H. Hill.
1870—E. L. Semans.
1871—*J. W. Lewellen.*
1871—W C. McKaig.
1871—A. J. Carey.
1871—J. S. McElwee.
1871—M. H. Smith.
1871—W S. Stewart.
1871—J. V. Terflinger.
1871—A. W. Lamport.
1872—G. B. Work.
1872—*J. W. McDaniel.*
1872—W. H. Daniel.
1872—M. H. Mott.
1872—*C. W. Church.*
1872—W. M. Van Slyke.
1872—*R. F. Brewington.*
1872—J. H. Pyke.
1873—H. M. Lamport.
1873—J. A. Lewellen.
1873—H. J. Norris.
1874—C. King.
1874—J. B. Cook.
1874—C. Harvey.
1874—A. M. Patterson.
1874—R. H. Smith.
1874—J. M. Rush.
1874—P. J. Albright.
1874—J. S Cain.
1875—*T. C. Neal.*
1875—C. H. Brown.
1876—J. K. Walts.
1876—A. S. Wooten.
1876—J. W. Paschall.
1876—W. R. Wones.
1876—J. W. Cain.
1877—B. Sawyer.
1877—W. S. Boston.
1877—Chen Ta Yung.
1877—Te Jui.
1877—J. D Belt.
1878—J. A. Ruley.
1878—*W. F. Yocum.*
1878—R. S. Reed.
1878—J. T. Fettro.
1878—W. D. Parr.
1878—D. C Woolpert.
1878—J. H. Jackson.
1878—*J. J. Bicknell.*
1879—H. C. Smith.
1879—C. E. Bacon.
1879—L. J. Naftzger.
1879—T. M. Guild.
1880—J. H. Slack.
1880—*M. Swadner.*
1880—C. E. White.

1880—J. M. Driver.
1881—C. U. Wade.
1881—*E. W. Osburn.*
1881—M. F. Stright.
1881—F G. Browne.
1881—S. C. Norris.
1882—C. H. Murray.
1882—F. M. Stone.
1882—L. A. Beeks.
1882—A. S. Rogers.
1882—J. C. Murray.
1882—O. V. L. Harbour.
1882—J. W. Bowen.
1882—J. I. McCoy.
1882—W I. Taylor.
1883—I. W. Singer.
1883—M. S. Marble.
1883—J. B. Alleman.
1883—*T. D. Tharp.*
1883—L. E. Knox.
1883—G. M. Carpenter.
1883—W. M. Stranahan.
1883—A. A. Pittenger.
1883—M. R. Pierce.
1883—F. D. Newhouse.
1884—H. Bridge.
1884—E. E. Neal.
1884—S. L. Johnson.
1885—J. A. Beatty.
1885—L. M. Krider.
1885—G. S. V. Howard.
1885—A. L. Forkner.
1885—W. W. Brown.
1885—E. Davis.
1886—G. M. B. Rogers.
1886—F. T. Frech.
1886—A. L. Lamport.
1886—E. F. Albertson.
1886—L. Reeves.
1886—A. E. Sarah.
1886—J. M. Lewis.
1886—L. A Sevits.
1886—W. Parfitt.
1886—J W. Barker.
1887—B. S. Hollopeter.
1887—W. E. Murray.
1887—M. C. Cooper.
1887—C. O. Merica.
1887—H. A. Davis.
1887—S. Powell.
1887—S A. Ross.
1887—J. O. Bills.
1887—*W. B. Randolph.*
1887—J. M. Haines.
1887—A. S. Preston.
1887—J M. DeWeese.
1887—W. J. Gamble.
1888—C. M. Hollopeter.
1888—D. V. Williams.
1888—C. C. Cissell.
1888—J. A. R. Gahring.
1888—W. M. Nelson.
1888—G. W. Green.
1888—F. Lacey.
1888—M. A. Harlan.
1888—D. H. Guild.
1888—H. C. Ashcraft.

PROBATIONERS.

1886—A. T. Briggs.
1886—C. N. Mikles.
1887—G. A. Wilson.
1888—U. A. Foster.
1888—J F. Bailey.
1889—J. C. Dorwin.
1889—U. S. A. Bridge.
1889—C. C. Albertson.
1889—J. E. Keeler.

1889—A. G. Neal.
1890—J. C. White.
1890—W. J. Waltz.
1890—A. A. Turner.
1890—J. W. Oborn.
1890—E. W. Rhinehart.
1890—S. Bilheimer.
1890—A. B. Frye.

1890—G. Glor.
1890—S. J. Mellinger.
1890—H. H. Wright.
1890—J. F. Radcliff.
1890—J. D. Croan.
1890—J. H. Walters.
1890—J. J. Fred.
1890—W. G. Bogue.

RULES OF ORDER

OF THE

NORTH INDIANA CONFERENCE.

Rule 1. The Conference shall meet at 8:30 A. M., spend a half hour in devotional exercises, to be conducted by a member of the Conference appointed by the Bishop, proceed with the business at 9 A. M., and adjourn at 12 M. But the Conference may, in its discretion, alter the time of meeting and adjournment.

Rule 2. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference; but in case of such appeal the question shall be taken without debate, except that the appellant may make a simple statement of the grounds of his appeal.

Rule 3. All resolutions and motions shall be in writing, if the President, Secretary, or any two members request it.

Rule 4. When a motion is made and seconded, or a resolution introduced and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover, with the consent of the Conference, at any time before amendment or decision.

Rule 5. The motions to Lay on the Table, to Take from the Table, and for the Previous Question, shall be taken without debate.

Rule 6. No new motion or resolution shall be entertained until the one under consideration has been disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions should intervene, which shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed, namely:

(1.) To fix the time to which the Conference shall adjourn.
(2.) To adjourn.
(3.) To take a recess.
(4.) To lay on the table.
(5.) For the previous question.
(6.) To postpone to a given time.
(7.) To refer.
(8.) To substitute.
(9.) To amend.
(10.) To postpone indefinitely.

A motion to amend an amendment shall be in order, and a substitute for both amendments may be received, which substitute may be amended, and if a substitute be accepted, it shall operate as an amendment to the original proposition.

RULE 7. When any member is about to speak in debate, or to deliver any matter to the Conference, he shall rise and respectfully address the President, but shall not proceed until recognized by him.

RULE 8. No member shall be interrupted while speaking, except by the President to call him to order when he departs from the question, or uses personalities or disrespectful language; but any member may call the attention of the President to the subject when he deems a speaker out of order, and any member may explain when he thinks himself misrepresented.

RULE 9. When a member desires to speak to a question of privilege, he shall briefly state the question; but it shall not be in order for him to proceed until the President shall have decided it a question of privilege.

RULE 10. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than ten minutes at one time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any person speak more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

RULE 11. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon by the Conference, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the prevailing side to move a reconsideration; but a motion to reconsider a non-debatable motion shall be decided without debate.

RULE 12. No member shall absent himself from the service of the Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

RULE 13. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question shall be put by the President, except by leave of the Conference when such member has been necessarily absent.

RULE 14. Every member who is within the bar at the time a question is put shall give his vote, unless the Conference, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

RULE 15. It shall be in order to move that the question be taken without further debate on any measure pending, except in cases in which character is involved, and if sustained by a vote of *two-thirds*, the question shall be taken.

RULE 16. The motion to adjourn shall be taken without debate, and shall always be in order, except, (1) when a member has the floor; (2) when a question is actually put, or a vote is being taken; (3) when the question is pending on seconding the demand for the previous question; (4) when the previous question has been called and sustained, and is still pending; and (5) when a motion to adjourn has been negatived and no business or debate has intervened.

RULE 17. These rules shall not be suspended except by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting.

OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE.

WILLIAM X. NINDE, Presiding Bishop.

CHARLES G. HUDSON, Secretary.

HORACE N. HERRICK, } Assistant Secretaries.
WILLIAM M. DANIEL, }

LEWIS A. BEEKS, Railway Secretary.

TOM C. NEAL, Statistical Secretary.

ALFRED S. ROGERS, Assistant Statistical Secretary.

JASPER I. McCOY, Treasurer.

WILLIAM S. STEWART, Assistant Treasurer.

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JOURNAL.

FIRST DAY.

MUNCIE, IND., WEDNESDAY, April 2, 1890.

The North Indiana Annual Conference convened for its forty-seventh annual session, in the High Street Methodist Episcopal Church, in the City of Muncie, Ind., at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., Wednesday, April 2, 1890, Bishop William X. Ninde presiding. The Bishop read seventeen verses of the third chapter of Collossians, after which the 765th hymn was sung,

"Happy the souls to Jesus joined."

The Bishop then proceeded to consecrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, which he administered with the aid of the Presiding Elders and of W. S. Birch, and at the conclusion of the sacrament Brother Birch led in prayer.

Remarks by the President.—B. A. Kemp presented Bishop Ninde to the Conference, and the Bishop addressed the Conference with kindly and tender words of greeting and counsel.

Roll.—The Secretary of the last session then called the roll, and the following brethren answered to their names:

G. W. Bowers.	D. F. Stright.	E. Holdstock.
M. Mahin.	L. W. Monson.	W. S. Birch.
J. C. White.	A. Greenman.	L. Roberts.

N. Gillam.
T. Stabler.
R. D. Spellman.
R. M. Barns.
M. Wayman.
C. E. Disbro.
F. T. Simpson.
W. J. Vigus.
F. A. Fish.
J. E. Ervin.
B. A. Kemp.
T. H. C. Beall.
L. A. Retts.
A. E. Mahin.
E. L. Semans.
J. S. McElwee.
J. V. Terflinger.
W. H. Daniel.
H. M. Lamport.
J. S. Cain.
C. Harvey.
P. J. Albright.
J. K. Walts.
J. W. Cain.
J. A. Ruley.
J. T. Fettro.
J. H. Jackson.
C. E. Bacon.
J. H. Slack.
C. U. Wade.
M. F. Stright.
F. M. Stone.
O. V. L. Harbour.
M. S. Marble.
L. E. Knox.
A. A. Pittenger.
H Bridge.
J. A. Beaty.
A. L. Forkner.
T. F. Frech.
L. Reeves.
B. S. Hollopeter.
H. A. Davis.
J. M. Haines.
B. Smith.
J. Johnston.
A. G. McCarter.
C. P. Church.
E. M. Baker.
E. F. Hasty.
M. A. Teague.
M. S. Metts.
J. L. Ramsey.
A. H. Currie.
S. J. McElwee.
H. N. Herrick.
C. H Wilkinson.
A C. Gerard.
W. C. McKaig.
M. H. Smith.
A. W. Lamport.
M. H. Mott.
J. A. Lewellen.
C. King.
A. M. Patterson.
T. C. Neal.
A. S. Wooten.
B. Sawyer.
J. D. Belt.
W. D. Parr.
I. J. Bicknell.
L. J. Naftzger.
M. Swadener.
E. W. Osburn.
S. C. Norris.
L. A. Beeks.
J. I. McCoy.
J. B. Alleman.
G. M. Carpenter.
M. R. Pierce.
E. E. Neal.
L. M. Krider.
W. W. Brown.
A. L. Lamport.
A. E. Sarah.
W. E Murray.
S. Powell.
J. W. Welch.
N. H. Phillips.
N. D. Shackelford.
M. H. Mendenhall.
C. W. Lynch.
J. P. Nash.
W. E. McCarty.
T. Sells.
C. G. Hudson.
W. O. Pierce.
W. Peck.
W. R Jordan.
O. S. Harrison.
G. H. Hill.
A. J. Carey.
W. S. Stewart.
J. W. McDaniel.
R F. Brewington.
H. J. Norris.
J. B. Cook.
J. M Rush.
C. H. Brown.
J. W Paschall.
W. S. Boston.
R. S. Reed.
D. C. Woolpert.
H. C. Smith.
T. M. Guild.
C. E. White.
F. G. Browne.
C. H. Murray.
A. S. Rogers.
I. W. Singer.
T. D. Tharp.
W. M. Stranahan.
F. D Newhouse.
S. L. Johnson.
G. S. V. Howard.
E. Davis.
E. F. Albertson.
L. A. Sevits.
M. C. Cooper.
J. O. Bills.

PROBATIONERS.

A. T. Briggs.	A. S. Preston.	C. N. Mikels.
C. M. Hollopeter.	D. V. Williams.	C. C. Cissel.
J. A. R. Gahring.	W. M. Nelson.	G. W. Green.
F. M. Lacey.	M. A. Harlan.	D. H. Guild.
J. F. Bailey.	H. C. Ashcraft.	J. C. Dorwin.
U. S. A. Bridge.	J. E. Keeler.	A. G. Neal.
C. C. Albertson.		

R. D. Robinson, O. V. Lemon, A. J. Lewellen and R. B. Powell were announced as deceased.

Election of Conference Officers.—On motion of B. A. Kemp, C. G. Hudson was unanimously re-elected Secretary, and, on his nomination, H. N. Herrick and W. H. Daniel were elected Assistant Secretaries, and L. A. Beeks, Railroad Secretary.

On motion of C. G. Hudson, T. C. Neal was elected Statistical Secretary, and, on his nomination, A. S. Rogers was elected Assistant Statistical Secretary.

On motion of F. T. Simpson, J. I. McCoy was elected Conference Treasurer, who selected for his assistant W. S. Stewart, who was elected.

Program.—On motion of C. G. Hudson, the program previously prepared for anniversaries and public services, was approved and adopted.

Time of Sessions.—On motion of the Secretary, it was ordered that the Conference assemble each morning at 8:30, spend one-half hour in devotions, begin business at 9, and adjourn at 12.

Bar of Conference.—On motion of the same, the bar of the Conference was fixed on a line with the east side of the central window of the auditorium of the church.

Rules of Order.—C. G. Hudson moved that the Rules of Order printed in the last issue of the Minutes be the Rules of Order of this session, which was duly seconded and carried.

Standing Committees.—The list of nominations for the various standing committees was read, amended, and confirmed, as follows:

Stewards.—J. W. Welch, C. E. Disbro, A. W. Lamport, C. King, E. Holdstock.

Education.—H. N. Herrick, D. C. Woolpert, J. W. Welch, C. E. Disbro, H. J. Norris, G. H. Hill, G. B. Work, M. H. Mendenhall, W. D. Parr, E. E. Neal, L. A. Retts, J. A. Lewellen, C. E. Bacon.

Parsonages and Furniture.—W. R. Wones, J. K. Walts, D. C. Woolpert, E. F. Albertson, L. A. Beeks, A. S. Rogers.

Tract Cause.—W. H. Pierce, E. M. Baker, R. S. Reed.

New York Book Accounts.—M. Swadener.

Temperance.—E. L. Semans, A. G. McCarter, J. H. Jackson, L. J. Naftzger, S. J. McElwee, M. Mahin.

Post-Offices and Conference Depository.—J. T. Fettro.

Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society.—C. E. White, A. C. Gerard, G. B. Work.

Conference Relations.—J. B. Alleman, R. M. Barns, B. Sawyer, L. E. Knox, W. D. Parr, M. H. Smith, J. M. Rush, L. A. Retts, J. A. Lewellen, F. A. Fish, A. S. Wooten, C. Harvey.

Public Worship.—B. A. Kemp, C. U. Wade.

Memoirs.—THE SECRETARIES.

On Chaplains in the Army and Navy.—W. J. Vigus, W. D. Parr, W. H. Daniel.

W. F. M. S. and W. H. M. S.—L. A. Beeks, J. K. Walts, H. N. Herrick.

American Bible Society.—N. Gillam, D. F. Stright, J. Johnston, L. Roberts, L. W. Monson, T. Sells.

To Apportion the Benevolent Collections.—THE PRESIDING ELDERS.

Episcopal Fund.—A communication was read from the Treasurers of the Episcopal Fund, giving the apportionment to this Conference for that purpose next year, which was referred to the Presiding Elders for distribution.

Communications.—A communication from Garrett Biblical Institute was presented, which was referred to the Committee on Education.

A communication was presented from the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, giving the apportionment to this Conference for the year, which was referred to the Presiding Elders for distribution.

Gospel in All Lands.—H. C. Smith was appointed to collect the accounts, and receive subscriptions for "The Gospel in All Lands."

Drafts.—A draft was ordered on the Book Concern for $1,557, being the dividend to this Conference this year.

A draft was ordered on the Chartered Fund for $30.

Fort Wayne College.—A communication was read from the Trustees of Fort Wayne College, which was referred to the Committee on Education.

Introductions.—The following were introduced: J. S. Cain, transferred to this body from the West Nebraska Conference; J. C. White, transferred to us from the South East Indiana Conference; F. D. Newhouse, transferred to us from the Bengal Conference; C. H. Payne, Secretary of the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church; J. C. W. Cox, Agent of the Sunday-School Union; J. C. Hartzell, Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society; W. G. Moon, of the Wesleyan Methodist Church; and J. B. M. Reeves, of the Protestant Methodist Church.

Addresses.—C. H. Payne then addressed the Conference in the interest of the Board of Education.

J. C. Hartzell spoke to the Conference concerning the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society.

T. C. Iliff, Superintendent of the Mission Work in Utah, was introduced, and represented to the Conference the interests of the Utah University, and, after the time was extended, took up a collection for the benefit of that institution, amounting to about $175.00.

Adjournment.—On motion, the Conference adjourned. Notices were given, the doxology was sung, and C. H. Payne pronounced the benediction.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, April 3, 1890.

The North Indiana Conference assembled at 8:30 A. M. The devotions were conducted by M. H. Mott, who read the fourth chapter of Second Corinthians, and, after song, prayers were offered by O. S. Harrison, M. S. Marble, S. C. Norris, F. M. Stone, S. L. Johnson, A. Cone and J. S. McCarty. At 9 o'clock Bishop Ninde took the chair, and the Conference resumed business.

Journal.—The Journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

Roll.—The names of those who were absent yesterday were called, and it was ordered that the further calling of the roll be omitted. The following answered:

J. S. McCarty.	J. W. Lowry.	W. H. Pierce.
D. D. Powell.	A Cone.	J. W. Lewellen.
G. B. Work.	W. M. Van Slyke.	R. H. Smith.
J. W. Bowen.		

Disciplinary Calls.—The Statistical Secretary stated that the statistical reports had all been handed in.

The Treasurer of the Conference made his call.

W. S. Birch was added to the Committee on Education.

Reports and Communications.—The report of the visitors to DePauw University was presented, and was referred to the Committee on Education.

The annual report of the Boston School of Theology, of the Garrett Biblical Institute, and of the Board of Education, were presented, and were referred to the Committee on Education.

The Accounts of the Secretary.—On motion of the Secretary, a committee of three was ordered to audit the accounts of the Secretary, and M. S. Marble, E. E. Neal and A. C. Gerard were appointed such committee.

Reports.—The annual reports of the Sunday-School Union, of the Tract Society, and of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society were presented, and were referred to the appropriate committees.

The Methodist Review.—E. E. Neal was appointed to canvass for subscribers for the Methodist Review.

Introductions.—The following were introduced: E. Cranston, one of the Agents of the Western Book Concern; D. H. Moore, Editor of the Western Christian Advocate; J. F. Berry, Editor of the Epworth Herald; A. W. Greenman, of the Northwest Indiana Conference, late of our mission in Mexico, and L. A. Clevinger, pastor of the Baptist Church in the city of Muncie.

Addresses.—E. Cranston then addressed the Conference in the interest of the Book Concern.

J. F. Berry presented the claims of the Epworth Herald.

Committee on Book Concern.—On motion of the Secretary, a committee of one from each district was ordered on the Book Concern, and H. M. Lamport, F. G. Browne, L. E. Knox, P. J. Albright, A. S. Wooten and I. W. Singer were appointed such committee.

The Preachers' Aid Society.—At 10 o'clock the Conference took a recess and entered into session as the Preachers' Aid Society, Bishop Ninde in the chair.

Committee on Nominations.—On motion of E. Holdstock, B. A. Kemp, N. Gillam and P. J. Albright were appointed a committee to nominate the officers of the Society for the ensuing year.

Reports.—The Secretary of the Society, W. S. Birch, presented his report, which was read and accepted. (See Reports.)

E. F. Hasty, Agent of the Society, then addressed the body.

Officers.—The Committee on Nominations presented their report, and the following officers were unanimously elected.

President.—E. Holdstock. *Vice-President.*—W. S. Birch.

Secretary.—C. U. Wade. *Treasurer.*—C. M. Kimbrough.

Managers.—N. H. Phillips, E. F. Hasty, G. W. H. Kemper, Isaac Meeks, H. Roads.

Committee of Review.—On motion of E. Holdstock, a committee of five was appointed to review the administration of the Board of Control of the Preachers' Aid Society, and report thereupon. M. Mahin, N. Gillam, A. Greenman, D. C. Woolpert, and R. D. Spellman were appointed.

Adjournment.—On motion, the Society adjourned. The Conference resumed business.

Twentieth Question.—The Twentieth Question was taken up—"*Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*" Fort Wayne District was represented, and the characters of the following Elders were passed: A. E. Mahin, J. A. Beaty, H. M. Lamport, J. H. Jackson, B. Sawyer, G. B. Work, W. M. Van Slyke, N. D. Shackelford, R. M. Barns, W. R. Wones, G. H. Hill, A. H. Currie, H. Bridge, J. B. Alleman, A. G. McCarter, H. N. Herrick, J. W. Welch. The name of A. C. Gruber was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Goshen District was represented, and the characters of the following Elders were passed: F. T. Simpson, O. S. Harrison, A. Cone, M. R. Pierce, W. D. Parr, W. M. Stranahan, L. A. Beeks, L. J. Naftzger, F. M. Stone, E. F. Hasty, J. I. McCoy, A. J. Carey, C. H. Murray, F. G. Browne, M. H. Smith, H. C. Smith.

The Kokomo District was represented, and the characters of the following Elders were passed: J. E. Ervin, J. S. McElwee, M. S. Metts, C. H. Wilkinson, T. M. Guild, A. A. Pittinger, C. H.

Brown, W. S. Birch, W. S. Boston, G. M. Carpenter, H. J. Norris, E. L. Semans, J. W. McDaniel, L. E. Knox, J. D. Belt, E. E. Neal, F. A. Fish, E. Holdstock, M. F. Stright.

E. S. Semans was granted leave of absence.

Manual of the North Indiana Conference.—M. Mahin presented to the Conference a Manual compiled by the Rev. L. W. Monson, and recommended the same, in which he was seconded by W. J. Vigus, C. E. Bacon, and C. W. Lynch.

D. H. Moore.—D. H. Moore, Editor of the *Western Christian Advocate,* then addressed the Conference in the interests of that paper.

Introduction.—Mrs. Col. Springer, representing the Woman's Home Missionary Society, was introduced.

Adjournment.—The time having expired, notices were given, the doxology was sung, and N. Gillam pronounced the benediction.

THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY, April 4, 1890.

According to adjournment, the North Indiana Conference met at 8:30. Devotions were under the charge of J. K. Walts. The Richmond District Quartette sang:

"Work for the Master."

The third chapter of Ephesians was read. Prayers were offered by D. F. Stright, A. Greenman, C. G. Hudson, Mrs. C. P. Wright and R. M. Barns. At 9 o'clock Bishop Ninde took the chair, and business began.

Journal.—The Journal of the session of yesterday was read and approved. The Bishop gave the greetings of Brother G. C. Ulmer, who was transferred from this Conference to the Black Hill's Mission Conference during the last year. The hand-book of Boston University was presented, and was referred to the Committee on Education.

W. B. Randolph.—On motion of T. Stabler, seconded by C. G. Hudson, the case of W. B. Randolph was referred to the Board of Stewards as a necessitous case. On motion of the same, his basis was fixed at $300.

Introductions.—The following brethren were introduced: N. L. Bray, pastor of the colored Baptist Church, of Muncie; John Downs, pastor of the colored Methodist Episcopal Church, of Muncie, and member of the Lexington Conference.

Twentieth Question.—The Twentieth Question was resumed—"*Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?*" Muncie District was represented, and the characters of the following Elders were passed: B. A. Kemp, J. A. Ruley, S. L. Johnson, C. G.

Hudson, G. S. V. Howard, J. V. Terflinger, S. J. McElwee, N. H. Phillips, I. J. Bicknell, L. A. Retts, W. C. McKaig, C. U. Wade, P. J. Albright, A. S. Rogers, J. T. Fettro, J. B. Cook, C. E. White, J. A. Lewellen, J. C. White, J. C. Murray.

Visiting Ministers.—On motion of the Secretary, all visiting ministers were invited to sit within the bar of the Conference.

Richmond District was represented, and the characters of the following Elders were passed: T. Stabler, J. W. Paschall, A. M. Patterson, R. S. Reed, J. K. Walts, A. S. Wooten, C. E. Disbro, A. W. Lamport, M. Mahin, C. Harvey, W. Peck, J. H. Slack, W. H. Daniel, S. L. Bowman. S. Light was announced as transferred to the Wisconsin Conference, and R. D. Robinson and R. B. Powell were reported deceased.

Warsaw District was represented, and the characters of the following Elders were passed: C. W. Lynch, W. W. Brown, J. W. Cain, W. S. Stewart, M. H. Mott, L. M. Krider, R. H. Smith, T. H. C. Beall, M. Swadener, J. N. McCurdy, S. C. Norris, M. S. Marble, J. M. Rush, O. V. L. Harbour, C. King, J. L. Ramsey, I. W. Singer, E. P. Church, C. E. Bacon, A. C. Gerard, D. C. Woolpert, W. J. Vigus, W. F. Walker, J. H. Pyke, Chen Ta Yung, Te Jui, W. I. Taylor, J. W. Bowen.

E. P. Church received leave of absence.

Introductions.—J. Bundy, Presiding Elder of the Muncie District of the African Methodist Episcopal Church; J. W. Stanton, Pastor of the African Methodist Episcopal Church of Muncie; J. E. Brown, of the Indianapolis Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church; and J. Leonard, of the West Nebraska Conference, were introduced.

Stewards' Report.—The Stewards made their report of the basis of the various claimants, which was accepted and adopted.

Third Question.—The Third Question was taken up:—"*Who Remain on Trial?*" And the characters of the following were passed, and they were continued on trial, and advanced to the sec-

ond year of probationers: Jay C. Dorwin, Ulysses S. A. Bridge, Charles C. Albertson, John E. Keeler, Arthur G. Neal. Charles C. Albertson is to bring up Ancient History next year, and John E. Keeler was required to be examined again next year in Pope's Theology. Charles N. Mikles was passed in all the studies of the first year.

Thirteenth Question. The Thirteenth Question was taken up:—"*Who are the Traveling Deacons of the Second Class?*" And the characters of the following were passed, and they were advanced to the Second Class of Traveling Deacons: Alfred L. Forkner, Brenton S. Hollopeter, William E. Murray, Malachi C. Cooper, Henry A. Davis, Sherman Powell, James O. Bills, Joseph M. Haines.

The character of Noah Brandyberry was passed, and he was located on his own request. James M. Lewis was passed as to his character, and was continued in the first class of Traveling Deacons, and, on motion of B. A. Kemp, it was requested that he be left without appointment to attend some one of our schools. The characters of Charles O. Merica and Sherman A. Ross were passed, and they were continued in the first class of Traveling Deacons, and it was requested that they be left without appointment to attend some one of our schools. The character of William B. Randolph was passed, he was continued in the first class of Traveling Deacons, and he was granted a supernumerary relation. The character of John W. Barker was passed, and he was granted leave to withdraw from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Twentieth Question.—The Twentieth Question was resumed, and the characters of F. D. Newhouse and J. S. Cain were passed.

Fourteenth Question.—The Fourteenth Question was called—"*What Traveling Deacons have been Elected Elders?*" The characters of the following were passed, and they were elected to Traveling Elders' orders: Theodore F. Frech, Alphonso L. Lamport, Lewis Reeves, Alfred E. Sarah, Lewis A. Sevits, Eli Davis, Edmond F. Albertson. George B. M. Rogers, being already an Elder, was passed to the list of Traveling Elders, and it was requested that he be left without appointment to attend school.

The relation of Alfred E. Sarah was changed from supernumerary to effective.

Eighteenth Question.—The Eighteenth Question was called—"*Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*" And the following were continued in the supernumerary relation: S. C. Miller, J. W. Lewellen, D. D. Powell, E. S. Preston, T. J. Elkin, F. A. Robinson, W. H. Pierce, M. A. Teague, W. F. Yocum.

T. D. Tharp and E. W. Osburn were changed from supernumerary to effective.

Nineteenth Question.—The Nineteenth Question was taken up—"*Who Are the Superannuated Preachers?*" And the following were continued as superannuated: H. N. Barns, G. W. Bowers, J. Maffit, J. C. Medsker, B. Smith, W. Wilson, L. Roberts, R. D. Spellman, R. A. Newton, G. Havens, J. P. Nash, I. Cooper, J. W. Smith, W. Anderson, J. Johnston, N. Gillam, R. Tobey, L. W. Monson, E. M. Baker, J. H. McMahon, J. Harrison, N. T. Peddycord, W. Lash, P. Carland, T. Sells, J. W. Miller, R. F. Brewington, W. R. Jordan, Y. B. Meredith, C. W. Church, W. O. Pierce, D. F. Stright, H. J. Lacey, A. Greenman, M. H. Mendenhall, H. Woolpert, M. Wayman, T. C. Neal, W. E. Curtis and J. W. Lowry.

J. S. McCarty and W. E. McCarty were changed from superannuated to effective.

A. C. Gruber.—The Committee on Relations made a report in the case of A. C. Gruber, and his character was passed.

Gift of Mrs. C. P. Wright.—On motion of J. E. Ervin, the Secretary, in publishing the minutes, was directed to insert a note making mention of a gift last year, made by Mrs. Fanny Wright, of Logansport, in memory of her husband, the late Rev. C. P. Wright, amounting to $250.00, given to the Church Extension Society.

Resolution.—The following was adopted:

WHEREAS, The labors of our Statistical Secretary are very arduous, and his expenses heavy; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we appreciate his labors, and that we at once proceed to raise the sum of twenty-five dollars to pay his expenses, and partially remunerate him for his work.

N. GILLAM.	B. A. KEMP.	A. W. LAMPORT.
A. E. MAHIN.	F. G. BROWNE.	D. C WOOLPERT.
C. E. DISBRO.	W. H. DANIEL.	A. J. CAREY.
H. N. HERRICK.	W. O. PIERCE.	J. E. ERVIN.
W. M. STRANAHAN.	C. W. LYNCH.	L. E. KNOX.
F. T. SIMPSON.	C. HARVEY.	C. E. BACON.
C. KING.	H. C. SMITH.	E. E. NEAL.
W. M. NELSON.		

Pursuant to the above resolution, a collection was taken, amounting to $20.54, which was paid into the hands of Brother Neal.

Change of Restrictive Rules.—The Chair presented the proposed change of section 2, paragraph 63, of the Discipline of 1888, ordered by the General Conference of 1888 to be submitted to the annual Conferences, and, after discussion, the proposed amendment was put to a count vote, resulting 17 in favor to 92 against.

Preachers' Aid Society.—On motion, the Conference took a recess and held a session of the Preachers' Aid Society, Bishop Ninde in the chair.

Report.—The Committee appointed to review the administration of the Board of Control of the Preachers' Aid Society, presented their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Society adjourned and the Conference resumed business.

Delegates for the Ecumenical Conference.—The Chair announced that the Commissioners of the Ecumenical Conference, to be held in 1891, requested each annual Conference to nominate two ministers and two laymen, from whom the said Commissioners might select the members of the said Ecumenical Conference. On motion of W. S. Birch, the Presiding Elders were requested to nominate two ministers and two laymen from this Conference for the said purpose.

The Sample Gift.—On motion of A. Greenman, the Secretary was instructed to insert a suitable note in the Minutes, acknowledging the gift of $1,000 made to the Church Extension Society, by Brother Joseph Sample, of Marion.

Adjournment.—The time having expired, notices were given, the doxology was sung and E. Holdstock pronounced the benediction.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, April 5, 1890.

The Conference convened at 8:30 A. M. The devotions were conducted by E. L. Semans. After singing the five hundred and twenty-first hymn,

"O for a heart to praise my God,"

and prayers by J. H. Lowry and W. J. Vigus, Brother Semans read the twenty-third Psalm. Prayers were offered by T. D. Tharp, J. K. Walts, J. Heim, C. G. Hudson and Bishop Walden. At 9 o'clock Bishop Ninde took the chair, and the Conference began the transaction of business.

Journal.—The Journal of Friday's session was read and approved.

Committee on Relations.—On motion of B. A. Kemp, the Committee on Conference Relations was granted leave to retire, and the case of I. J. Bicknell was referred to the committee.

Accounts of the Treasurer.—On request of the Treasurer, a committee was ordered to audit the accounts of the Treasurer, and J. K. Walts and W. D. Parr were appointed such committee.

S. L. Bowman.—The Secretary communicated to the Conference the fraternal greetings of S. L. Bowman, and his regrets that he was not able to be present at the session.

Introductions.—The following were introduced: J. M. Walden, one of the Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church; D. J. Starr, of the Cincinnati Conference; T. S. Johnson, Presiding Elder of the Oude District, North India Conference, formerly a member of this Conference; J. P. D. John, President of DePauw

University; G. L. Curtis, Professor in the Theological School of DePauw University; C. A. Van Anda, of the Southeast Indiana Conference, and C. F. Steck, pastor of the Lutheran Church of Muncie.

J. Johnston.—The Stewards requested leave to change the basis of J. Johnston from $100 to $200, which was granted.

District Conference Records.—On motion of J. E. Ervin, a committee of one was ordered to examine the journals of District Conferences, and R. M. Barns was appointed such committee.

Recognition of Orders.—George M. Veach, recommended by the Kokomo District Conference, was recognized as an Elder on his credentials from the Wesleyan Methodist Church. Thomas Prickett, recommended by the Kokomo District Conference, was recognized as a Deacon on his credentials from the Methodist Protestant Church. Fremont Spain was recognized as an Elder on his credentials from the Church of the United Brethren in Christ.

Statistical Secretary's Report.—The Statistical Secretary presented his report, which was read by summary, and was received and adopted. It was directed that the recapitulation of Statistical Table No. III be printed in the Minutes.

The sub-committee of the Committee on Education, which has consideration of Fort Wayne College, was granted leave to retire.

Second Question.—The Second Question was taken up—"*Who are Admitted on Trial?*" And the following were introduced, and, after the reports of the various committees and of the Presiding Elders, were admitted on trial: John C. White, Jr., recommended by the Selma Quarterly Conference; William J. Waltz, recommended by the College Avenue Quarterly Conference, Greencastle; Alpheus A. Turner and Jacob W. Oborn, recommended by the Kokomo District Conference; Elmer W. Reinhart, recommended by the First Church, Richmond, Quarterly Conference; Sylvester Bilheimer, recommended by the Hagerstown Quarterly Conference;

Allen B. Frye, recommended by the Lynn Quarterly Conference; George Glor, recommended by the Wabash Circuit Quarterly Conference; Stephen J. Mellinger, recommended by the Mt. Etna Quarterly Conference; Henry H. Wright, recommended by the Akron Quarterly Conference; J. Frederick Radcliff, recommended by the Red Key Quarterly Conference; Joseph D. Croan, recommended by the New Corner Quarterly Conference; John H. Walters, recommended by the Decatur Quarterly Conference.

It was requested that S. Bilheimer be left without appointment to attend school.

Re-examination in Studies.—On motion of C. G. Hudson, it was ordered that those who did not reach a standing of seven in the examination in the studies for admission on trial, be required to be examined in the same next year. A. A. Turner is to be examined in Discipline; W. J. Waltz, in English branches and History of American Methodism; George Glor, in English branches, History of American Methodism and Discipline, and J. F. Radcliff, in Discipline.

Tenth Question.—The Tenth Question was called—"*What Local Preachers have been Elected Deacons?*" And the following Local Preachers were elected to Deacon's Orders: Eli B. Westhafer, recommended by the Markle Quarterly Conference; William J. Waltz, recommended by the College Avenue, Greencastle, Quarterly Conference; John F. Dodds and Peter K. Hessong, recommended by the Kokomo District Conference and Mark S. Armitage, recommended by the Pennville Quarterly Conference.

Sixteenth Question.—The Sixteenth Question was taken up—"*What Local Deacons have been Elected Elders?*" And no recommendations were presented.

The Committee on Education was granted leave to retire.

Fifth Question.—The Fifth Question was called—"*Who are Admitted Into Full Connection?*" The Probationers of the second year were called forward. The Conference sang,

"A charge to keep I have,"

and Bishop Walden led in prayer. Bishop Ninde then addressed the class and asked the disciplinary questions. The following were passed in character and admitted into full connection: Asher S. Preston, John M. De Weese, William J. Gamble (required to be examined in Logic next year), Charles M. Hollopeter, Dorie V. Williams, Cassius C. Cissell, Joseph A. R. Gahring, Wilber M. Nelson, George W. Green, Francis M. Lacey, Madison A. Harlan, Daniel H. Guild, Homer C. Ashcraft, William Parfitt. The same were elected to Deacons' Orders, with the exceptions of J. M. De Weese, C. C. Cissell, J. A. R. Gahring, W. M. Nelson and W. Parfitt, who are already ordained Deacons.

The characters of the following were passed, they were continued on trial, and it was requested that they be left without appointment to attend some one of our schools: Charles N. Mikels, Albertus T. Briggs, George A. Wilson and Ulysses A. Foster.

The character of John F. Bailey was passed, and he was continued on trial on his own request.

Hour of Session Monday.—On motion of the Secretary, it was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet Monday at 8 o'clock.

The time of the session was extended.

Changes of Relation.—On motion of B. A. Kemp, the relation of I. J. Bicknell was changed from effective to supernumerary.

On motion of C. W. Lynch, the relation of M. Swadener was changed from effective to supernumerary.

M. Swadener.—The following was presented, and adopted:

WHEREAS, Our brother, M. Swadener, has felt it to be his duty to give himself fully to the evangelistic work, and in order to give full time to that work, has been granted a change of relation, relieving him of the responsibility of a pastoral charge; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we have recognized in Brother Swadener a most active and efficient pastor in the regular work.

Resolved, That we recommend him to the confidence of the Church in his new field of operation, as a brother who will give no uncertain sound, but will, as we believe, with his eminent fitness for his work, exalt the standard of Christ and of our common Methodism.

W. S. BIRCH.
A. GREENMAN.

Brother Swadener then addressed the Conference in fitting remarks.

Changes of Relation.—On motion of J. E. Ervin, the relation of J. W. McDaniel was changed from effective to supernumerary.

On motion of A. E. Mahin, the relation of A. G. McCarter was changed from effective to superannuated.

Seventh Question.—The Seventh Question was called: "*Who Are Received on Credentials from Other Churches?*" And John Heim, having answered the disciplinary questions, was received into full connection on his credentials as an Elder in the Methodist Protestant Church.

Adjournment.—On motion, the Conference adjourned. Notices were given, the doxology was sung, and A. G. McCarter pronounced the benediction.

MEMORIAL SESSION.

SUNDAY, April 6, 1890.

The North Indiana Conference assembled Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, for the ordination of Elders, and for the reading of the memoirs of the deceased members of the Conference and of the wives of ministers who have died during the year. After the singing of

"What a friend we have in Jesus,"

W. J. Vigus led in prayer. F. T. Simpson presented the candidates for Elders' Orders. W. H. Daniel read the Epistle, and C. U. Wade read the Gospel. Bishop Walden read the Address and asked the disciplinary questions, and Bishop Ninde ordained the candidates for Elders' Orders, assisted by Bishop Walden and several Elders.

Memoirs.—The Goshen District Quartette sang

"Cling, cling to the Mighty One."

C. G. Hudson read the memoir of the Rev. R. D. Robinson, M. D., D. D.

H. N. Herrick read the memoir of the Rev. O. V. Lemon.

The Richmond District quartette sang,

"I am wandering down."

W. H. Daniel read the memoir of the Rev. A. J. Lewellen.

C. G. Hudson read the memoir of the Rev. R. B. Powell.

H. N. Herrick read the memoir of Mrs. J. S. Cain. The Goshen District Quartette sang,

"Rest in Heaven."

C. G. Hudson read the memoir of Mrs. A. W. Lamport.

W. H. Daniel read the memoir of Mrs. A. L. Forkner.

C. E. Bacon read the memoir of Mrs. L. W. Monson.

The Richmond District Quartette sang,

"O, to be over yonder."

C. G. Hudson led in prayer, notices were given, and the Conference was dismissed with the benediction by T. Stabler.

FIFTH DAY.

MONDAY, April 7, 1890.

Conference convened, according to resolution, at 8 o'clock, A. M., W. D. Parr conducted the devotions. Hymn 724 was sung,

"Nearer, my God, to Thee."

and R. M. Barns led in prayer, W. D. Parr read from the fifth chapter of Second Corinthians, and after the singing of the 762d hymn,

"My faith looks up to Thee,"

led in prayer. The Conference sang,

"Refining fire go through my heart."

Bishop Walden took the chair for the dispatch of business.

Memoirs.—On motion of the Secretary, the memoirs read at the Memorial Session of yesterday, were adopted, and ordered printed in the Minutes.

Conference Corporation.—On motion of the Secretary, the officers of the Conference Corporation, last year, were re-elected for the ensuing year.

Publishing of the Minutes.—On motion of W. S. Birch, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to publish 2,500 copies of the Minutes of this session, as the official journal of this session; that the Minutes be sent to the Presiding Elders, in quantities proportioned to the number of members in full connection in each district; that the Presiding Elders distribute them to the preachers in charge, in proportion to the number of members in full connection in each charge, and settle with the Secretary within sixty days after they receive the Minutes; that each preacher be required to pay for his Minutes at the time he receives them;

that the Secretary be hereby authorized to include in estimating the cost of the Minutes the expense of any blanks, and any incidental expenses that either he, or the Statistical Secretary, or the Treasurer, may necessarily incur.

Reports of Standing Committees.—The reports of the standing committees were taken up. The report of the Committee on Parsonages and Furniture was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committee on the Tract Cause presented their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committe on Temperance presented their report, which was amended and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committee on the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society presented their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committee on the Book Concern presented their report, which was received and adopted, and the Secretary was instructed to furnish the Book Committee with so much of the same as refers to the distribution of funds, and also to publish in our Minutes a portion of the annual report of the Book Committee. (See Reports.)

The Committee on the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society presented their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committee on the Woman's Home Missionary Society presented their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committee on Sunday-Schools presented their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

The report of the Committee on the American Bible Society was read and adopted, after remarks by W. J. Vigus. (See Reports.)

D. J. Starr.—D. J. Starr, of the Cincinnati Conference, addressed the Conference, and presented the interests of the Subscription Department of the Book Concern.

Mrs. R. B. Powell.—The Secretary represented the condition of the widow of the late Rev. R. B. Powell, and a collection was taken for her, amounting to $58.81, which was paid into the hands of D. D. Powell.

Reports.—The Conference Treasurer presented his report, which, after correction, was adopted. (See Reports.)

The Citizens' National Bank.—On motion of the Treasurer, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That our thanks be hereby returned to the Citizens' National Bank for the many accommodations they have rendered to us, free of charge, and for the courtesies they have extended to our Conference Treasurer.

J. I. McCOY.
W. S. STEWART.
F. T. SIMPSON.

The committee to audit the accounts of the Secretary presented their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committee on Chaplains in the Army and Navy made their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

W. S. Birch was called to the chair.

The committee appointed to audit the accounts of the Treasurer presented their report, which was received and adopted. (See Reports.)

Statistics.—The following paper was adopted:

WHEREAS, Our brother, T. C. Neal, has devised a card plan for Statistical Reports, which has been successfully used for two years by this Conference; and

WHEREAS, This plan contemplates the sending in of card No. 1, giving value of Church property and Sunday-School statistics, before the Conference session; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Wednesday, March 18, 1891, be adopted as "Statistical Day" for the coming year, and that it be the duty of each pastor on that day to fill out and mail card No. 1 to the Statistical Secretary.

Resolved, That at the third meeting of each Quarterly Conference for the year a fair estimate shall be made of the value of all Church property, and that all improvements made after said meeting shall be added to the valuation by the pastor.

Resolved, That it shall be the duty of each Presiding Elder to forward to the Statistical Secretary by October 1st of each year a list of all apportionments made to each charge, with claims of Pastors, including house rent, or rental value of parsonages.

Resolved, That we pledge ourselves to make a special endeavor to bring our statistical work nearer to perfection next spring than ever before.

M. A. HARLAN. W. D. PARR.
M. S. MARBLE. A. S. ROGERS.

Bishop Walden took the Chair.

Allowances.—The action of this body last year on the subject of allowance to claimants, was reaffirmed as follows, with the following proviso:

To make the basis of apportionment for Conference Claimants fair and equitable to all parties concerned, it is the declared sense of this Conference that all sources of income for the support of claimants, of whatever character, be taken into account by the Board of Stewards, and that they be instructed to make accurate and careful examination into all the facts bearing upon the case of each applicant.

Provided, That the above may not be so understood, as to include money received by Conference Claimants from the Conference, or from any donation or benevolence, paid to said Conference Claimants, or other members of the Conference.

G. H. HILL. R. D. SPELLMAN.
C. E. DISBRO. J. W. WELCH.
D. C. WOOLPERT.

Muncie Daily Papers.—The following was adopted:

WHEREAS, The Muncie Daily Papers have, at considerable expense and effort, furnished to the Conference and to the public full reports of the daily proceedings and meetings of Conference; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we hereby express our thanks to the Editors and Publishers for their excellent services.

F. G. BROWNE. L. A. BEEKS.
C. E. DISBRO. E. F. HASTY.
R. F. BREWINGTON. L. J. NAFTZGER.

Stewards' Report.—The Stewards made their final report, and distributed the funds in their hands to the claimants. They recommended the apportionment of $5,000 for the superannuated collection next year, which was adopted.

Nomination of Standing Committees.—On motion of C. G. Hudson, the Presiding Elders were requested to nominate the Standing Committees for next year.

Pro-Rata Basis of Claimants.—On motion of J. W. Welch, it was resolved that it is the sense of this Conference that the claims of claimants on the Conference Funds be pro-rata claims with those of the Bishops, Presiding Elders, and Preachers-in-Charge.

Semi-Centennial Sermon.—On motion of W. H. Daniel, M. Mahin was requested to preach a Semi-Centennial Sermon at the next session of the Conference, and the Committee on Program were directed to take the same into account in the preparation of the program for the next session.

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Itinerants' Club.—M. A. Harlan presented the subject of the Itinerants' Club to the Conference, and, on motion of C. E. Bacon, it was resolved that this Conference recognize the Itinerants' Club of the North Indiana Conference, and encourage and aid the same in any way possible, and that a commitee be appointed on the post-graduate course of study of the club.

Superannuated Apportionment.—On motion of J. W. Welch, the Presiding Elders were directed to add twenty per cent. to the apportionment of superannuated preachers, so that the aggregate shall be $6,000.

Committees.—The nominations for the Committees of Examination for 1891 were read and approved. (See Lists.)

The nominations for the standing committees for the session of 1891 were read and approved. (See Lists.)

Communication from Middletown.—A communication from the Middletown Quarterly Conference was presented, asking permission to use the funds derived from the sale of the church at Sulhur Springs, for the purpose of improving or building a new par-

sonage on the Middletown Circuit, with the understanding that the said Circuit execute a good and sufficient bond to refund the said sum of money for building a church at Sulphur Springs, in case a class shall be organized there within five years; and, upon motion of T. Stabler, the permission asked was granted.

Thirty-fourth Question. — The Thirty-Fourth question was taken up—"*Where Shall the Next Conference be Held?*" Huntington and Elkhart were put in nomination and represented. Huntington received 92 votes, and Elkhart 52 votes; and, upon motion, the choice of Huntington was made unanimous. The Conference returned its hearty thanks to the church at Elkhart for its kind invitation.

Bishop Walden.—The following paper was unanimously adopted by a rising vote, to which Bishop Walden made suitable response:

Resolved, That we, the members of the North Indiana Conference, hereby express our delight with Bishop Walden's visit during our Conference session; that we take this opportunity of assuring him that the attachments formed when he was our presiding officer, in 1885, have been greatly strengthened; and that we will gladly welcome him at any time to our Conference sessions in his Episcopal visitations

W. H. DANIEL. H. N. HERRICK.
A. GREENMAN. W. S. BIRCH.
C. G. HUDSON.

Time of Adjournment.—On motion of T. Stabler, it was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Report on Education.—The Committee on Education presented that portion of its report that referred to Fort Wayne College. Remarks were made by M. Mahin and A. E. Mahin.

B. A. Kemp took the chair.

C. W. Lynch moved to amend the report by substituting the sum of $25,000 for $50,000, in the sum required in proposals for a new site of the Institution, pending which, the Conference adjourned, on motion of W. S. Birch.

Introductions.—M. B. Hyde and C. C. Edwards, of the Southeast Indiana Conference, were introduced.

The doxology was sung, and E. F. Hasty pronounced the benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Conference met at 1:30 P. M., according to adjournment, M. H. Mendenhall in the chair. The Conference sang,

"Come thou fount of every blessing,"

and A. Greenman led in prayer.

Report on Education.—On motion of C. G. Hudson, the consideration of the report on Fort Wayne College was deferred until the Bishop and Presiding Elders came in.

That portion of the report of the said committee, which refers to DePauw University, was read, and, pending its adoption, President J. P. D. John addressed the Conference, and that portion of the report was adopted.

The remainder of the report, relating to Boston School of Theology, Garrett Biblical Institute, and Children's Day, was read and adopted.

A collection was taken to defray expenses of printing the Conference program, amounting to $10.01.

Resolutions.—The following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Presiding Elder of Fort Wayne District, and the pastor at Huntington, be hereby instructed to prepare and print a suitable program of the services, sermons, and anniversaries to be held during the week of our next session C. G. HUDSON.

The following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary be hereby directed to make arrangements for reduced rates of fare for those attending the next session of this Conference.

The following was adopted:

Resolved, That we do hereby return our thanks to the Central Traffic Association for the favor of reduced fare returning for those attending this session. C. G. HUDSON.

Report on Fort Wayne College.—The Conference resumed consideration of that part of the report of the Committee on Education referring to Fort Wayne College, on motion of W. S. Birch.

W. S. Birch was called to the chair. The amendment of C. W. Lynch was taken up, to substitute $25,000 for $50,000, and M. H. Mendenhall spoke on the same. On motion of C. G. Hudson, the amendment was laid on the table. M. H. Mendenhall took the chair. W. D. Parr spoke to the report.

Bishop Ninde entered and took the chair. W. S. Birch spoke to the report. Vote being taken, that portion of the report relating to Fort Wayne College was adopted. The report as a whole was adopted. (See Reports.)

The Commissioners appointed for Fort Wayne College, were granted leave to retire.

T. S. Johnson.—T. S. Johnson, Fiscal Agent of the Christian College in India, addressed the Conference in the interest of that institution.

Certificate of Ordination.—The following Certificate of Ordination was read:

This is to certify that, in the city of Muncie, Indiana, on the 6th day of April, 1890, the following named persons were, by me, ordained to the Order of Deacons in the Methodist Episcopal Church: Asher S. Preston, William J. Gamble, Charles M. Hollopeter, Dorie V. Williams, George W. Green, Francis M. Lacey, Madison A. Harlan, Daniel H. Guild, Homer C. Ashcraft, Eli B. Westhafer, William J. Waltz, John F. Dodds, Peter K. Hessong and Mark S. Armitage.

And in the same city, and on the same day, Bishop Walden and several Elders assisting in the service, the following named persons were ordained to the Order of Elders in the Methodist Episcopal Church: Theodore F. Frech, Alfonso L. Lamport, Lewis Reeves, Alfred E. Sarah, Lewis A. Sevits, Eli Davis, Edmond F. Albertson.

Given under my hand, at Muncie, Indiana, this 7th day of April, 1890.
WILLIAM X. NINDE.

J. M. Driver.—The Bishop announced that he had transferred John M. Driver from the Illinois Conference to this Conference.

Second Question.—The Second Question was resumed—"*Who are Admitted on Trial?*" John J. Fred, recommended by the Locust Street, Greencastle, Quarterly Conference, and William G. Bogue, recommended by the Kokomo District Conference, were admitted on trial.

Nominations.—The Triers of Appeals were nominated and approved. (See disciplinary questions.)

W. S. Birch, M. Mahin, J. A. Funk and L. H. Bunyan, were by the Conference nominated to the Commissioners of the Ecumenical Conference to be held in 1891, as persons from whom to chose the members of the said Ecumenical Conference.

D. C. Woolpert was appointed to preach the annual Missionary Sermon next year, and H. J. Norris was appointed as alternate.

The officers and members of the Conference Board of Church Extension were nominated and approved. (See Lists.)

The members and Superintendent of the Board of Control of Deaconess' Work were nominated and approved. (See Lists.)

The District Boards of Church Location were nominated and approved. (See Lists.)

Apportionments.—The report of the Committee to apportion the benevolent collections and the Episcopal fund was read. On motion of B. A. Kemp, the apportionments to the several Districts for missions last year were substituted for the apportionment in the report. The report as amended was adopted.

Itinerants' Club.—The following were nominated and approved as a committee on post-graduate course of study for the Itinerants' Club of North Indiana Conference: H. N. Herrick, M. H. Mendenhall, C. E. Bacon, W. D. Parr, A. W. Lamport.

Program.—The following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Worship for the next Conference session be requested to send copies of the program to the members of the Conference, so they can be received before coming to the Conference session.

H. N. HERRICK.
W. H. DANIEL.

Reports of Pastoral Support.—The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the pastors in charge of circuits be instructed to report next year the name of each appointment in his charge, the membership in each of said appointments, the amount appropriated for pastoral support to each one of the same, the amount paid therefor by the same, and the deficiency, if any, in the payment by each appointment; and that the Statistical Secretary be directed to prepare the said reports for publication in the Minutes of this Conference which shall be published next year.

C. W. LYNCH. B. A. KEMP.
F. T. SIMPSON. A. E. MAHIN.
T. STABLER. J. E. ERVIN.

Resolution of Thanks.—The following was unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That we, the members of the North Indiana Conference, do hereby tender our sincere and hearty thanks to the members of our Church in Muncie, and also to the citizens, who have so courteously entertained us in their hospitable homes for the second time within the last few years, and for the use of their new and beautiful Church; also to Brother Wade and the Committee on Entertainment for their kindness and patience in ministering to all our wants; and to the excellent choir and organist for their faithful and excellent services.

P. J. ALBRIGHT. J. W. CAIN.
H. J. NORRIS. F. T. SIMPSON.
M. H. MENDENHALL. L. M. KRIDER.
R. F. BREWINGTON. C H. BROWN.
A. GREENMAN. C G. HUDSON.

On motion of M. H. Mendenhall, the Conference expressed its high appreciation of the excellent and faithful services of the Secretary and his assistants, of the Railway Secretary, of the Statistical Secretaries, and the Conference Treasurer and his assistant.

The following was unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That we do hereby express to Bishop Ninde our great pleasure in having him for our Presiding Bishop, and heartily welcome him among us, at this, his first visit to us, in this capacity; that we have greatly enjoyed his ministrations, his sermon, and his faithful and well-timed counsels; that we have greatly appreciated his unfailing urbanity and gentle demeanor, as well as his kind and patient attention to all our requests; that we pray our Heavenly Father to give him health and strength, in his long and toilsome journeys through the connection at large; that we shall rejoice if it may be our privilige, in the near future, to again have him for our President; and we invoke upon him the choicest of the divine blessings.

	C. G. HUDSON.	A. S. ROGERS.
T. C. NEAL.	W. D PARR.	J. W. WELCH.
C. E. DISBRO.	R. D. SPELLMAN.	R. M. BARNS.
E. F. HASTY.	C. E. BACON.	C. KING.

Adjournment.—On motion of B. A. Kemp, it was resolved that when the appointments have been read, the Conference do stand adjourned without day.

Journal.—The Journal of Saturday's session was read and approved. The Journal of the memorial session was read and approved. The Journal of the morning session was read and approved. The Journal of the afternoon session, up to this point, was read and approved.

Appointments.—The Conference sang two stanzas of

"Blest be the tie that binds."

T. S. Johnson led in prayer. After fitting remarks by the Chair, the appointments for the ensuing year were read. The doxology was sung, and the Bishop pronounced the benediction, and the North Indiana Conference stood adjourned without day.

WILLIAM X. NINDE,
President.

CHARLES G. HUDSON,
Secretary.

ANNIVERSARIES AND SERMONS.

MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1890.

7:30 P. M. Sermon by the Rev. J. H. JACKSON.

TUESDAY.

7:30 P. M. Sermon by the Rev. A. W. LAMPORT.

WEDNESDAY.

2:00 P. M. Epworth League Anniversary. Address by the Rev. M. S. CARROLL, of Chicago, Ill.

3:00 P. M. Sunday-School Union and Tract Anniversary. Address by the Rev. J. C. W. COX, D. D.

7:30 P. M. Anniversary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society. Address by the Rev. J. C. HARTZELL, D. D.

THURSDAY.

2:00 P. M. Book Concern Meeting. Address by the Rev. E. CRANSTON, D. D.

3:00 P. M. Meeting of the Preachers' Mutual Aid Society.

7:30 P. M. Church Extension Anniversary. Address by the Rev. D. H. MOORE, D. D.

FRIDAY.

2:00 P. M. Annual Missionary Sermon by the Rev. R. M. BARNS, D. D.

3:00 P. M. Anniversary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society. Address by Mrs. COL. C. F. SPRINGER, of Anamosa, Iowa.

7:30 P. M. Missionary Anniversary. Addresses by the Rev. T. S. JOHNSON, D. D., of Oude, India, and the Rev. F. F. OLDHAM, D. D., of Singapore.

SATURDAY.

2:00 P. M. Anniversary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Addresses by Mrs. T. S. JOHNSON, of Oude, India, and the Rev. F. D. NEWHOUSE.

3:30 P. M. Educational Anniversary. Addresses by the Rev. J. P. D. JOHN, D. D., and the Rev. G. L. CURTIS, D. D., of DePauw University.

7:30 P. M. Temperance Anniversary. Address by the Rev. C. A. VAN ANDA, D. D., of Indianapolis.

SUNDAY.

9:00 A. M. Conference Lovefeast, led by the Revs. N. GILLAM and A. GREENMAN.

10:30 A. M. Sermon by Bishop W. X. NINDE, D. D., followed by the Ordination of Deacons.

3:00 P. M. Memorial Service and Ordination of Elders.

7:30 P. M. Sermon by the Rev. J. P. D. JOHN, D. D., President of DePauw University.

QUESTIONS OF THE DISCIPLINE.

QUESTION 1—*Who are Received by Transfer, and from what Conference?*

ANSWER—Jacob C. White, Sr., from the Southeast Indiana Conference; Finley D. Newhouse, from the Bengal Conference; John S. Cain, from the West Nebraska Conference; John M. Driver, from the Illinois Conference. 4

QUESTION 2—*Who are Admitted on Trial?*

ANSWER—John C. White, Jr., William J. Waltz, Alpheus A. Turner, Jacob W. Oborn, Elmer W. Reinhart, Sylvester Bilheimer, Allen B. Frye, George Glor, Stephen J. Mellinger, Henry H. Wright, J. Frederick Radcliff, Joseph E. Croan, John H. Walters, John J. Fred, William G. Bogue. 15

QUESTION 3—*Who Remain on Trial?*

ANSWER—Albertus T. Briggs, Charles N. Mikels, George A. Wilson, Ulysses A. Foster, John F. Bailey, Jay C. Dorwin, Ulysses S. A. Bridge, Charles C. Albertson, John E. Keeler, Arthur G. Neal. 10

QUESTION 4—*Who are Discontinued?*

ANSWER—None.

QUESTION 5—*Who are Admitted into Full Connection?*

ANSWER—Asher S. Preston, John M. DeWeese, William J. Gamble, Charles M. Hollopeter, Dorie V. Williams, Cassius C. Cissell, Joseph A. R. Gahring, Wilber M. Nelson, George W. Green, Francis M. Lacey, Madison A. Harlan, Daniel H. Guild, Homer C. Ashcraft, William Parfitt. 14

QUESTION 6—*Who are Re-admitted?*

ANSWER—None.

QUESTION 7—*Who are Admitted on Credentials from other Churches?*

ANSWER—John Heim. 1

QUESTION 8—*What Traveling Preachers have been Elected Deacons?*

ANSWER—Asher S. Preston, William J. Gamble, Charles M. Hollopeter, Dorie V. Williams, George W. Green, Francis M. Lacey, Madison A. Harlan, Daniel H. Guild, Homer C. Ashcraft. 9

QUESTION 9—*What Traveling Preachers have been Ordained Deacons?*

ANSWER—Asher S. Preston, William J. Gamble, Charles M. Hollopeter, Dorie V. Williams, George W. Green, Francis M. Lacey, Madison A. Harlan, Daniel H. Guild, Homer C. Ashcraft. 9

QUESTION 10—*What Local Preachers have been Elected Deacons?*

ANSWER—Eli B. Westhafer, William J. Waltz, John F. Dodds, Peter K. Hessong, Mark S. Armitage. 5

QUESTION 11—*What Local Preachers have been Ordained Deacons?*

ANSWER—Eli B. Westhafer, William J. Waltz, John F. Dodds, Peter K. Hessong, Mark S. Armitage. 5

QUESTION 12—*Who are the Traveling Deacons of the First Class?*

ANSWER—James M. Lewis, William B. Randolph, Charles O. Merica, Sherman A. Ross, William Parfitt, Asher S. Preston, John M. DeWeese, William J. Gamble, Charles M. Hollopeter, Dorie V. Williams, Cassius C. Cissell, Joseph A. R. Gahring, Wilber M. Nelson, George W. Green, Francis M. Lacey, Madison A. Harlan, Daniel H. Guild, Homer C. Ashcraft. 18

QUESTION 13—*Who are the Traveling Deacons of the Second Class?*

ANSWER—Alfred L. Forkner, Brenton S. Hollopeter, William E. Murray, Malachi C. Cooper, Henry A. Davis, Sherman Powell, James O. Bills, Joseph M. Haines. 8

QUESTION 14—*What Traveling Deacons have been Elected Elders?*

ANSWER—Theodore F. Frech, Alfonso L. Lamport, Lewis Reeves, Alfred E. Sarah, Lewis A. Sevits, Eli Davis, Edmond F. Albertson. 7

QUESTION 15—*What Traveling Deacons have been Ordained Elders?*

ANSWER—Theodore F. Frech, Alfonso L. Lamport, Lewis Reeves, Alfred E. Sarah, Lewis A. Sevits, Eli Davis, Edmond F. Albertson. 7

QUESTION 16—*What Local Deacons have been Elected Elders?*

ANSWER—None.

QUESTION 17—*What Local Deacons have been Ordained Elders?*

ANSWER—None.

QUESTION 18—*Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

ANSWER—S. C. Miller, J. W. Lewellen, D. D. Powell, E. S. Preston, T. J. Elkin, F. A. Robinson, W. H. Pierce, M. A. Teague, W. F. Yocum, I. J. Bicknell, M. Swadener, J. W. McDaniel, W. B. Randolph. 13

QUESTION 19—*Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

ANSWER—H. N. Barns, J. Maffit, J. C. Medsker, G. W. Bowers, B. Smith, W. Wilson, L. Roberts, R. D. Spellman, R. A. Newton, G. Havens, J. P. Nash, I. Cooper, J. W. Smith, W. Anderson, J. Johnston, N. Gillam, R. Tobey, L. W. Monson, E. M. Baker, J. H. McMahon, J. Harrison, N. T. Peddycord, W. Lash, P. Carland, T. Sells, J. W. Miller, R. F. Brewington, W. R. Jordan, Y. B. Meredith, C. W. Church, W. O. Pierce, D. F. Stright, H. J. Lacey, J. W. Lowry, A. Greenman, M. H. Mendenhall, H. Woolpert, M. Wyman, T. C. Neal, W. E. Curtis, A. G. McCarter. 41

QUESTION 20—*Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*

ANSWER—The character of each preacher was examined in open Conference.

QUESTION 21—*Have any Died?*

ANSWER—Reuben D. Robinson, Orange V. Lemon, Alpheus J. Lewellen, Richard B. Powell. 4

QUESTION 22—*Have any been Transferred, and to what Conference?*

ANSWER—S. Light, to Wisconsin Conference; G. C. Ulmer, to Black Hills Mission Conference; J. N. McCurdy, to Kansas Conference; A. C. Gruber, to Rock River Conference. 4

QUESTION 23—*Have any Withdrawn?*

ANSWER—John W. Barker, from the ministry and Church. 1

QUESTION 24—*Have any been Located at Their own Request?*

ANSWER—N. Brandyberry. 1

QUESTION 25—*Have any been Located?*

ANSWER—None.

QUESTION 26—*Have any been Permitted to Withdraw Under Charges?*

ANSWER—None.

QUESTION 27—*Have any been Expelled?*

ANSWER—None.

QUESTION 28—*Who are Selected for Triers of Appeals?*

ANSWER—H. M. Lamport, N. H. Phillips, C. E. Disbro, M. H. Mott, E. L. Semans, O. S. Harrison, M. Mahin.

QUESTION 29—*What is the Statistical Report for the Conference Year?*

ANSWER—See the Statistical Tables.

QUESTION 30—*What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?*

ANSWER—See the Reports.

QUESTION 31—*What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*

ANSWER—See the Stewards' Report.

QUESTION 32—*What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?*

ANSWER—See the Stewards' Report.

QUESTION 33—*Where are the Preachers Stationed?*

ANSWER—See the List of Appointments.

QUESTION 34—*Where shall the next Conference be held?*

ANSWER—At Huntington, Indiana.

APPOINTMENTS.

Names in SMALL CAPITALS are Elders; in *Italics*, Deacons; in Roman, Probationers. The figures indicate the year of service in the appointments.

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Angola.....J. A. BEATY, 2
Auburn.....H. M. LAMPORT, 5
Avilla.....J. H. Walters, 1
Bluffton.....J. H. JACKSON, 2
Churubusco.....T. H. C. BEALL, 1
Coesse.....*C. M. Hollopeter*, 1
Decatur.....G. B. WORK, 2
Ft. Wa'ne, Ber'y St., W. M. VAN SLYKE, 2
" St. Paul.....*M. C. Cooper*, 3
" Simpson.....J. M. DRIVER, 1
" Trinity...N. D. SHACKELFORD, 2
" Wayne St..... R. M. BARNS, 3
Fremont.....L. REEVES, 2
Garrett.....W. R. WONES, 5
Geneva.....*A. L. Forkner*, 1
Harlan.....A. H. CURRIE, 1
Huntertown.....T. F. FRECH, 1
Huntington.....G. H. HILL, 4
Leo.....*H. C. Ashcraft*, 1
Markle.....Sup. by *E. B. Westhafer*, 1
Monroe.....Sup. by J. L. FOSTER, 1
Monroeville.....*B. S. Hollopeter*, 2
New Haven.....*J. C. Dorwin*, 2
Ossian.....H. BRIDGE, 4
Poneto.....*J. M. Haines*, 2
Roanoke.....J. B. ALLEMAN, 3
Sheldon.....J. C. White, Jr., 1
Spencerville.....J. J. Fred, 1

SUPERANNUATES.

J. P. NASH, Monroeville.
C. W. CHURCH, Fort Wayne.

SUPERNUMERARIES.

E S. PRESTON, Elliott, N. D.
F. A. ROBINSON, Roanoke.
W. F. YOCUM, Barton, Fla.

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Corrunna.....M. R. PIERCE, 3
Elkhart.....W. D. PARR, 3
Elkhart Ct.....W. M. STRANAHAN, 2
Goshen, First Ch.....*C. C. Albertson*, 2
" Sec. Ch...F. D. NEWHOUSE, 2
Hamilton...Sup. by A.V. Knepper, 1
Kendallville.....L. A. BEEKS, 3
LaGrange.....L. J. NAFTZGER, 4
Leesburg.....A. CONE, 1
Lima.....J. I. MCCOY, 2
Ligonier.....T. M. GUILD, 1
Middlebury.....E. F. ALBERTSON, 1
Milford.....*J. M. DeWeese*, 1
Mishawaka.....F. G. BROWNE, 3
Nappanee.....J. S. CAIN, 2
New Paris.....C. H. MURRAY, 1
Osceola.....M. H. SMITH, 5
Orland.....*S. Powell*, 2
Valentine.....O. V. L. HARBOUR, 1
Waterloo.....L. A. RETTS, 1
Wawaka.....*W. Parfitt*, 1
Wolcottville.....*A. S. Preston*, 2

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J. MAFFITT, Bristol.
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Frankton.....W. G. Bogue, 1
Galveston.....A. A. PITTENGER, 1
Goldsmith.....*W. J. Waltz*, 1
Greentown.....C. E. DISBRO, 1
Jolietville.....E. W. OSBURN, 1
Kokomo.....C. H. BROWN, 5
Kokomo Ct.....J. W. Oborn, 1
Logansport, Broadway..W. S. BIRCH, 3
" Market st.....W. S. BOSTON, 3
" Wheatland st..*H. A. Davis*, 2
New Britton.....G. M. CARPENTER, 2
New Waverly.....A. J. CAREY, 1
Noblesville.....H. J. NORRIS, 4
Peru.....E. L. SEMANS, 3
Point Isabel.....A. A. Turner, 1
Russiaville.....L. E. KNOX, 4
Santa Fe.....Sup. by D. L. Loving, 2
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1882	Alleman, J. B	Roanoke	3	Roanoke.
1842	Anderson, W	*Superannuated*	9	Greenfield.
1888	Ashcraft, H. C	Leo	1	Leo.
	B			
1879	Bacon, C. E	Wabash	3	Wabash.
1858	Baker, E. M	*Superannuated*	3	Warsaw.
1841	Barns, H. N	*Superannuated*	15	Passadena, Cal.
1854	Barns, R. M	Wayne Street	3	Fort Wayne.
1868	Beall, T. H. C	Churubusco	1	Churubusco.
1885	Beaty, J. A	Angola	2	Angola.
1882	Beeks, L. A	Kendallville	3	Kendallville.
1877	Belt, J. D	Sheridan	2	Sheridan.
1878	Bicknell, I. J	*Supernumerary*	1	Fortville.
1849	Birch, W. S	Broadway	3	Logansport.
1887	Bills, J. O	Hagerstown	2	Hagerstown.
1877	Boston, W. S	Market Street	3	Logansport.
1837	Bowers, G. W	*Superannuated*	21	Roll.
1882	Bowen, J. W	Lynn	1	Lynn.
1855	Bowman, S. L	*Deaconess' Work*	1	150 5th Ave., N. Y.
1872	Brewington, R. F	*Superannuated*	5	Knightstown.
1884	Bridge, H	Ossian	4	Ossian.
1875	Brown, C. H	Kokomo	5	Kokomo.
1881	Browne, F. G	Mishawaka	3	Mishawaka.
1885	Brown, W. W	Roann	1	Roann.
	C.			
1874	Cain, J. S	Nappanee	2	Nappanee.
1876	Cain, J. W	Bourbon	2	Bourbon.
1871	Carey, A. J	New Waverly	1	New Waverly.
1856	Carland, P	*Superannuated*	6	Centerville.
1883	Carpenter, G. M	New Britton	2	New Britton.
1877	Chen Ta Yung	*Missionary*	14	Peking, China.
1872	Church, C. W	*Superannuated*	5	Fort Wayne.
1855	Church, E. P	South Whitley	2	South Whitley.
1888	Cissell, C. C	Fountain City	1	Fountain City.
1869	Cone, A	Leesburgh	1	Leesburg.
1874	Cook, J. B	Red Key	2	Red Key.
1853	Cooper, I	*Superannuated*	10	Goshen.
1887	Cooper, M. C	St. Paul	3	Fort Wayne.
1865	Currie, A. H	Harlan	1	Harlan.
1866	Curtis, W. E	*Superannuated*	2	Fountain City.

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	D.			
1872	Daniel, W. H	Union City	3	Union City.
1885	Davis, E	Bunker Hill	1	Bunker Hill.
1887	Davis, H. A	Wheatland St	2	Logansport.
1859	Disbro, C. E	Greentown	1	Greentown.
1887	DeWeese, J. M	Milford	1	Milford.
1880	Driver, J. M	Simpson	1	Fort Wayne.
	E.			
1869	Elvin, T. J	*Supernumerary*	4	Logansport.
1864	Ervin, J. E	PRESIDING ELDER	6	Kokomo.
	F.			
1878	Fettro, J. T	Fortville	1	Fortville.
1862	Fish, F. A	Walton	2	Walton.
1885	Forkner, A. L	Geneva	1	Geneva.
1886	Frech, T. F	Huntertown	1	Huntertown.
1888	Gahring, J. A. R	Sharpsville	2	Sharpsville.
1887	Gamble, W. J	North Webster	1	North Webster.
1870	Gerard, A. C	La Gro	1	La Gro.
1851	Gillam, N	*Superannuated*	8	Richmond.
1888	Green, G. W	McCordsville	2	McCordsville.
1850	Greenman, A	*Superannuated*	3	Marion.
1888	Guild, D. H	Philadelphia	3	Philadelphia.
1879	Guild, T. M	Ligonier	1	Ligonier.
	H.			
1887	Hains, J. M	Poneto	7	Rifesburgh.
1882	Harbour, O. V. L	Valentine	1	Valentine.
1888	Harlan, M. A	Middletown	1	Middletown.
1844	Harrison, J	*Superannuated*	7	Richmond.
1868	Harrison, O. S	Albion	3	Albion.
1874	Harvey, C	Ridgeville,	2	Ridgeville.
1859	Hasty, E. F	Tipton	1	Tipton.
1838	Havens, G	*Superannuated*	11	Ladoga.
1872	Heim, J	Losantville	1	Losantville.
1868	Herrick, H. N	Anderson	1	Anderson.
1870	Hill, G. H	Huntington	4	Huntington.
1839	Holdstock, E	Westfield	2	Westfield.
1887	Hollopeter, B. S	Monroeville	2	Monroeville.
1888	Hollopeter, C. M	Coesse	1	Coesse.
1885	Howard, G. S. V	Dunkirk	3	Dunkirk.
1863	Hudson, C. G	Knightstown	1	Knightstown.

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	J.			
1878	Jackson, J. H	Bluffton	2	Bluffton.
1884	Johnson, S. L	Albany	1	Albany.
1853	Johnston, J	*Superannuated*	8	Pierceton.
1868	Jordan, W. R	*Superannuated*	5	Indianapolis.
	K			
1865	Kemp, B. A	PRESIDING ELDER	5	Muncie.
1874	King, C	Hartford City	1	Hartford City.
1883	Knox, L E	Russiaville	4	Russiaville.
1885	Krider, L. M	Second Church	1	Marion.
	L			
1888	Lacey, F. M	Perkinsville	1	Perkinsville.
1853	Lacey, H. J	*Superannuated*	3	Johnson.
1886	Lamport, A. L	Bristol	2	Bristol.
1871	Lamport, A. W	First Church	3	Richmond.
1873	Lamport, H. M	Auburn	5	Auburn.
1866	Lash, W	*Superannuated*	6	Elkhart.
1873	Lewellen, J. A	Winchester	2	Winchester.
1871	Lewellen, J. W	*Supernumerary*	7	Wheeling.
1886	Lewis, J. M	*At School*	2	Boston, Mass.
1859	Lowry, J. W	*Superannuated*	3	Knightstown.
1858	Lynch, C. W	PRESIDING ELDER	2	Warsaw.
	M			
1853	Maffit, J	*Superannuated*	27	Bristol.
1869	Mahin, A. E	PRESIDING ELDER	3	Fort Wayne.
1841	Mahin, M	Grace Church	2	Richmond.
1883	Marble, M. S	North Manchester	3	North Manchester
1853	McCarter, A. G	*Superannuated*	1	Warsaw.
1854	McCarty, J. S	Montpelier	1	Montpelier.
1859	McCarty, W. E	Windfall	2	Windfall.
1882	McCoy, J. I	Lima	2	Lima.
1872	McDaniel, J. W	*Supernumerary*	1	
1871	McElwee, J. S	Cicero	2	Cicero.
1865	McElwee, S. J	Farmland	2	Farmland.
1871	McKaig, W. C	Scircleville	1	Scircleville.
1856	McMahon, J. H	*Superannuated*	8	Dublin.
1841	Medsker, J. C	*Superannuated*	22	Kansas City, Mo.
1856	Mendenhall, M. H	*Superannuated*	2	Elkhart.
1860	Meredith, Y. B	*Superannuated*	5	New Castle.
1887	Merica, C. O	*At School*	2	Greencastle.
1861	Metts, M. S	Muncie Ct	1	Muncie.
1867	Miller, J. W	*Superannuated*	5	Tullahoma, Tenn.
1867	Miller, S. C	*Superanumerary*	14	Paw Paw.

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1843	Monson, L. W	*Superannuated*	8	Wabash.
1872	Mott, M. H	Warren	1	Warren.
1882	Murray, C. H.	New Paris	1	New Paris.
1882	Murray, J. C	GammonTh.Sem'y	5	Atlanta, Ga.
1887	Murray, W. E	Perrysburgh	1	Perrysburgh.
	N.			
1879	Naftzger, L. J	La Grange	4	La Grange.
1859	Nash, J. P	*Superannuated*	10	Monroeville.
1884	Neal, E. E	First Church	1	Marion.
1875	Neal, T. C	*Superannuated*	2	North Manchester
1883	Newhouse, F. D	Second Church	2	Goshen.
1888	Nelson, W. M	Andrews	2	Andrews.
1847	Newton, R. A	*Superannuated*	16	Windfall.
1873	Norris, H. J	Noblesville	4	Noblesville.
1881	Norris, S.C	Mexico	2	Mexico.
	O.			
1881	Osburn, E. W	Jolietville	1	Jolietville.
	P.			
1886	Parfitt, W	Wawaka	1	Wawaka.
1878	Parr, W. D	Elkhart	3	Elkhart.
1876	Paschall, J. W	Cambridge City	3	Cambridge City.
1874	Patterson, A. M	Cadiz	1	Cadiz.
1867	Peck, W	Spiceland	2	Spiceland.
1864	Peddycord, N. T	*Superannuated*	7	Baldwin, Kas.
1853	Phillips, N. H	Fishersburgh	3	Lapel
1883	Pierce, M. R	Corunna	3	Corunna.
1878	Pierce, W. H	*Supernumerary*	3	Selma.
1865	Pierce, W. O	*Superannuated*	4	Winchester.
1883	Pittenger, A. A	Galveston	1	Galveston.
1867	Powell, D. D	*Supernumerary*	5	Anderson.
1887	Powell, S	Orland	2	Orland.
1872	Pyke, J. H	*Missionary*	18	Peking, China.
1887	Preston, A. S	Wolcottville	2	Wolcottville.
1847	Preston, E. S	*Supernumerary*	3	Elliott, N. D.
	R			
1962	Ramsay, J. L	Macy	1	Macy.
1887	Randolph, W. B	*Supernumerary*	1	Harlinsburgh.
1878	Reed, R. S	Dublin & Lewisv'e	3	Dublin.
1886	Reeves, L	Fremont	2	Fremont.
1868	Retts, L. A	Waterloo	1	Waterloo.
1850	Roberts, L	*Superannuated*	12	Peru.

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1869	Robinson, F. A	*Supernumerary*	2	Roanoke.
1882	Rogers, A. S	Pendleton	2	Pendleton.
1886	Rogers, G. B. M	*At School*	1	E. Weym'th, Mass.
1887	Ross, S. A	*At School*	1	Greencastle.
1877	Ruley, J. A	New Burlington	1	New Burlington.
1875	Rush, J. M	Mentone	1	Mentone.
	S			
1886	Sarah, A. E	Anderson Ct	1	Anderson.
1877	Sawyer, B	LaFontaine	1	LaFontaine.
1861	Sells, T	*Superannuated*	6	Muncie.
1870	Semans, E. L	Peru	3	Peru.
1886	Sevits, L. A	Williamsburg	1	Williamsburgh.
1853	Shackelford, N. D	Trinity	2	Fort Wayne.
1859	Simpson, F. T	PRESIDING ELDER	6	Elkhart.
1883	Singer, I. W	Silver Lake	3	Silver Lake.
1880	Slack, J. H	Trenton	3	Trenton.
1851	Smith, B	*Superannuated*	13	Muncie.
1879	Smith, H. C	Pierceton	1	Pierceton.
1845	Smith, J. W	*Superannuated*	10	Albion.
1871	Smith, M. H	Osceola	5	Osceola.
1873	Smith, R. H	Larwill	2	Larwill.
1853	Spellman, R. D	*Superannuated*	12	Winchester.
1852	Stabler, T	PRESIDING ELDER	3	Richmond.
1871	Stewart, W. S	Columbia City	2	Columbia City.
1882	Stone, F. M	Butler	1	Butler.
1883	Stranahan, W. M	Elkhart Ct	2	Elkhart.
1838	Stright, D. F	*Superannuated*	4	Knightstown.
1881	Stright, M. F	Elwood	1	Elwood.
1880	Swadener, M.	*Supernumerary*	1	Marion.
	T			
1859	Teague, M. A	*Supernumerary*	3	Pendleton.
1871	Turflinger, J. V	Pennville	1	Pennville.
1877	Te Jui	*Missionary*	14	Peking, China.
1883	Tharp, T. D	Charlottsville	1	Charlottsville.
1857	Tobey, R	*Superannuated*	8	Richmond.
	V			
1872	Van Slyke, W. M	Berry Street	2	Fort Wayne.
1860	Vigus, W. J	Sup't A. B. S	4	Wabash.
	W			
1881	Wade, C. U	Muncie	4	Muncie.
1869	Walker, W. F	*Missionary*	18	Peking, China.

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1876	Walts, J. K	Greenfield	2	Greenfield.
1856	Wayman, M	*Superannuated*	2	Hillisburgh.
1851	Welch, J. W	Portland	1	Portland.
1880	White, C. E	Selma	3	Selma.
1849	White, Sr., J. C	Upland	2	Udpland.
1868	Wilkinson, C. H	Xenia	1	Xenia.
1888	Williams D. V	Inwood	1	Inwood.
1838	Wilson, W	*Superannuated*	17	Los Angeles, Cal.
1876	Wones, W. R	Garrett	5	Garrett.
1878	Woolpert, D. C	Warsaw	2	Warsaw.
1855	Woolpert, H	*Superannuated*	2	Denver.
1876	Wooten, A. S	Newcastle	3	Newcastle.
1872	Work, G. B	Decatur	2	Decatur.
	Y			
1878	Yocum, W. F	*Supernumerary*	2	Barton, Bla.
	PROBATIONERS.			
1886	Briggs, A. T	*At School*	4	Greencastle.
1886	Mikels, C. N	*At School*	2	New Castle.
1887	Wilson, G. A	*At School*	4	Boston, Mass.
1888	Foster, U. A	*At School*	2	Greencastle.
1888	Bailey, J. F	Pendleton Ct	2	Pendleton.
1889	Dorwin, J. C	New Haven	2	New Haven.
1889	Bridge, U. S. A	West Point	1	West Point.
1889	Albertson, C. C	First Church	2	Goshen.
1889	Keeler, J. E	Eaton	1	Eaton.
1889	Neal, A. G	Alto	2	Alto.
1890	White, Jr., J. C	Sheldon	1	Sheldon.
1890	Waltz, W. J	Goldsmith	1	Goldsmith.
1890	Turner, A. A	Point Isabel	1	Point Isabel.
1890	Oborn, J. W	Kokomo Ct	1	Kokomo.
1890	Reinhart, E. W	Yorktown	1	Yorktown.
1890	Bilheimer, S	*At School*	1	Greencastle.
1890	Frye, A. B	Centerville	1	Centerville.
1890	Glor, G	Wabash Ct	1	Wabash.
1890	Mellinger, S. J	Mt. Etna	2	Mt. Etna.
1890	Wright, H. H	Akron	1	Akron.
1890	Radcliff, J. F	Jonesboro	1	Jonesboro.
1890	Croan, J. D	New Corner	2	New Corner.
1890	Walters, J. H	Avilla	1	Avilla.
1890	Fred, J. J	Spencerville	1	Spencerville.
1890	Bogue, W. G	Frankton	1	Frankton.

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THE PRESIDING BISHOP, President. C. G. HUDSON, Secretary.
W. S. BIRCH, Vice-President. E. F. HASTY, Treasurer.

N. B.—This Conference is legally incorporated, and can receive devises and legacies for any benevolent object, such as the Preachers' Aid Society, Fort Wayne College, DePauw University, Missions, etc., or to form a new institution.

III. Officers of the Preachers' Aid Society.

E. HOLDSTOCK, President. C. U. WADE, Secretary.
W. S. BIRCH, Vice-President. C. M. KIMBROUGH, Treasurer.
Managers—N. H. Phillips, E. F. Hasty, G. W. H. Kemper, Isaac Meeks, H. Roads.

IV. Board of Church Extension.

C. E. BACON, President. D. C. WOOLPERT, Secretary.
J. H. BIRELY, Vice President. J. H. BRUNER, Treasurer.
Additional Members—G. H. Hill, M. S. Marble, A. F. Ebbinghouse, J. P. Thompson.
Ex-officio Members—The Presiding Elders.

V. Officers of the Conference Missionary Society.

W. S. STEWART, President. D. C. WOOLPERT, Secretary.
G. H. HILL, Vice-President. H. N. HERRICK, Treasurer.
Managers—H. J. Norris, M. S. Metts, J. A. Lewellen, W. H. Daniel.

VI. Officers of the Mutual Aid Society.

M. MAHIN, President, D. C. WOOLPERT, Secretary.
E. HOLDSTOCK, Vice-President. C. U. WADE, Treasurer.

VII. Officers of the Sunday-School Society.

H. M. LAMPORT, President.

E. E. NEAL, J. K. WALTS,
W. D. PARR, J. H. JACKSON, } Vice-Presidents.
J. W. CAIN, G. B. WORK,

M. S. MARBLE, Secretary. J. W. WELCH, Treasurer.

VIII. Officers of the Conference Epworth League.

H. N. HERRICK, President. D. C. WOOLPERT, Secretary.
L. A. BEEKS, Vice-President. J. K. WALTS, Treasurer.
Directors.—E. L. Semans, C. U. Wade.

IX. Conference Officers of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

MRS. C. G. HUDSON, Corresponding Secretary, Knightstown, Ind.
MRS. ROSALIE FISHER, Treasurer, Union City.

X. Conference Officers of the Woman's Home Missionary Society.

MRS. F. G. BROWN, President, Mishawaka, Ind.
MRS. L. H. BUNYAN, Treasurer, Richmond.

XI. Board of Control of Deaconess' Work.

W. S. Birch, C. W. Lynch, E. F. Hasty, F. T. Simpson, C. G. Hudson, Mrs. Mary K. Robinson, Mrs. Elizabeth Bradley, Mrs. M. H. Mendenhall, S. L. Bowman, Superintendent.

XII. Committees of Examination for 1891.

Candidates for Admission.—W. M. Van Slyke, L. J. Naftzger, I. W. Singer.

First Year.—O. S. Harrison, J. A. Ruley, M. F. Stright.

Second Year.—W. S. Birch, J. W. Cain, A. W. Lamport.

Third Year.—W. D. Parr, A. H. Currie, H. J. Norris.

Fourth Year.—H. M. Lamport, J. H. Jackson, C. King.

Local Deacons' Orders.—E. L. Semans, J. A. Lewellen, R. S. Reed.

Local Elders' Orders.—G. H. Hill, C. E. Bacon, R. F. Brewington.

On General Qualifications of Candidates for Admission on Trial and into Full Connection.—N. H. Phillips, N. D. Shackelford, J. L. Ramsay, F. G. Browne, C. H. Wilkinson, A. M. Patterson, M. Mahin.

To Preach the Annual Missionary Sermon.—D. C. Woolpert.

Alternate.—H. J. Norris.

XIII. Standing Committees for 1891.

Stewards.—J. W. Welch, C. E. Disbro, E. Holdstock, A. W. Lamport, C. King.

Education.—H. N. Herrick, M. H. Mendenhall, J. W. Welch, C. E. Disbro, D. C. Woolpert, H. J. Norris, J. K. Walts.

Parsonages and Furniture—W. R. Wones, L. A. Beeks, W. S. Stewart, E. F. Albertson, A. S. Rogers, M. A. Harlan.

Tract Cause.—W. H. Pierce, E. M. Baker, R. S Reed.

New York Book Accounts.—M. Swadener.

Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society.—R. H. Smith, M. H. Smith, H. C. Smith.

Temperance.—F. G. Browne, C. H. Brown, W. W. Brown.

Post-offices and Conference Depository.—J. W. Bowen.

Conference Relations.—G. B. Work, J. H. Jackson, W. D. Parr, A. J. Carey, W. S. Birch, J. D. Belt, S. L. Johnson, C. E. White, W. H. Daniel, J. H. Slack, L. M. Krider, S. C. Norris.

Public Worship.—A. E. Mahin, G. H. Hill.

XIV. District Boards of Church Location.

Fort Wayne District.—H. M. Lamport, A. H. Currie, C. H. Newton, C. B. Jones.

Goshen District.—W. D. Parr, L. A. Beeks. J. H. Baker, A. H. Stephens.

Kokomo District.—M. S. Metts, H. J. Norris, J. F. Armitage, J. F. Elliott.

Muncie District.—A. S. ROGERS, J. A. RULEY, C. L. HENRY, W. T. DURBIN.

Richmond District.—N. GILLAM, A. M. PATTERSON, D. CRAWFORD, C. C. BINKLEY.

Warsaw District.—W. S. STEWART, J. M. RUSH, J. H. BIRELY, M. HIVELY.

XV. TRUSTEES ELECTED.

De Pauw University.—W. S. BIRCH, T. B. REDDING.

Fort Wayne College.—G. H. HILL, A. W. LAMPORT, W. D. PARR, C. U. WADE, F. G. BROWNE, J. W. WELCH, C. E. BACON.

Commissioners for Fort Wayne College.—W. S. BIRCH, E. F. HASTY, C. U. WADE, C. E. BACON, W. D. PARR, D. C. WOOLPERT, H. N. HERRICK, C. W. LYNCH, M. H. MENDENHALL.

XVI. VISITORS APPOINTED.

DePauw University.—J. K. WALTS, C. G. HUDSON.

DePauw Theological School.—C. H. BROWN, H. J. NORRIS.

Fort Wayne College.—H. M. LAMPORT, F. G. BROWNE, L. A. RETTS, C. E. DISBRO, L. J. NAFTZGER, W. S. BOSTON, J. H. JACKSON.

Garrett Biblical Institute.—J. A. LEWELLEN, F. G. BROWNE, W. S. BIRCH.

REPORTS.

ON EDUCATION.

We present the following report of the Board of Visitors to DePauw University as a part of our report, viz.:

DePauw University.

To the North Indiana Annual Conference:

Dear Fathers and Brethren—We, your Board of Visitors, appointed at your last session, to visit DePauw University and its Theological School, do hereby respectfully present our report. It is with deep sadness that we first refer to the fact that the number of these visitors is no longer complete, and that but a portion of the Board sign this report. The Rev. R. D. Robinson, D. D., who wrote the brilliant report of the visitors last year, and who we trusted would this year pen these lines, has ascended into the Heavens, after he had faithfully performed his duties as your visitor.

It is with great pleasure that we are able to report that the past year and the present year, up to this date, have been the most successful and prosperous in the history of this great institution. Never before has the number of students in attendance been as great. We expect that this year will see at least a thousand names enrolled. Students are to be found on our rolls from all portions of the land, proving that the grand reputation of the institution in the past has been fully maintained.

The accomodations of the school are taxed to the utmost by the classes, and new buildings, dormitories, and boarding-houses are greatly needed. A new laboratory, accommodations for the Department of Physics and of Biology, for the Theological School, the Normal School, and the Military School, are needed to-day, and must be provided in the near future. We sincerely hope that God will put it into the hearts of those to whom He has entrusted of this world's goods, that they shall soon aid the University in these regards.

The income of the University still falls short of meeting its necessary expenses, though the deficiency is less, and we are still indebted to the liberality of the Messrs. DePauw for material assistance. We are getting nearer the time when we shall be relieved of these embarrasments, and when the munificent bequests of Mr. DePauw can be fully realized.

Peace and harmony have marked the history of the University since our last report. Both the faculty and the students have worked hand in hand, and with deep earnestness; and, above all, a powerful undercurrent of religious life and power, has pervaded the institution. The members of the faculty are doing good work, and we feel that excellent men are at the head of the various departments, and we take great pleasure in commending them and their assistants.

We found the discipline of the University admirable. We have noted this during all the years of our visitorship. We doubt if any institution of its size can be found where there prevails such order, such devotion to study, and such sincere endeavor to realize a true ideal of manhood and womanhood. The atmosphere pervading the institution is healthy, moral, devout, and full of incentive.

At the Commencement in June, President Alexander Martin, of his own free will and accord, earnestly requested to be relieved of the burden of care and of executive administration that he had borne so long and so successfully. It was with great regret that the Joint Board acceded to his firm determination, and accepted his resignation. The years of his administration have been momentous in the history of the Institution. When he was elected, the East College Building was incomplete, and was burdened with a mortgage of twenty thousand dollars. During his presidency that building has been completed, furnished, and rendered free of all incumbrance. In the same time the West College, consumed by fire, has been rebuilt; a dormitory for gentlemen, a boiler house, a dormitory for ladies, a building for the Musical School, and the McKim Observatory, with its excellent equipment, have all been built. During the same time the Law School has been reorganized; the Theological School, the Normal School, the Music School, the Art School, have been organized and built up to their present condition of efficiency, with the help of his grand coadjutors. During this time Mr. Washington C. DePauw was interested in the University, and induced to give it his time and labor, and his munificent endowments; while the various patronizing Conferences have also done their portion toward the endowment, and the attendance has been built up to nine hundred.

But we are happy to say we are not to be deprived of the services of Dr. Martin. He was retained as Professor of Mental and Moral, Philosophy, and during the year has also taken some of the classes in the Theological School.

The Joint Board did not attempt to fill the vacancy in the Presidency at Commencement. A special meeting was held in August. Vice-President John was placed in charge as Acting President. So well was the Board pleased with his administration, that at a special meeting in December, Dr. John was unanimously elected as President. President John was received with great enthusiasm by the Faculties and the students, and the Univer-

sity heartily approved of the choice. His administration has proved the wisdom of the choice. His theory of discipline, placing young men and women upon their honor, is working with the happiest results, and his administration thus far has been one of continued success. We confidently expect that his presidency will be of great benefit to the University.

In the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Professor Post has returned from two years of absence in Europe, and resumed his labors. The Department of Biology is marked by great interest and enthusiasm. Dr. Jenkins and some of his pupils this last summer made an expedition to the Sandwich Islands, to study the fauna of that group. The result, when fully studied, together with his researches the summer before in the Gulf of California, will reflect great credit upon him and upon the University.

Professor Brown was made Director of the Observatory. New equipment has been added, and we confidently expect that McKim Observatory will take its place among the famous observatories of the world.

The other departments of the College, and of the Preparatory School have maintained their efficiency, doing faithful work, and proving the University to be specially fortunate in obtaining the services of such well qualified and sacrificing men and women as instructors. Again the University was honored by the success of its representative in the State and Inter-State Oratorical contest.

The Law School, under Dean Downey, has had its largest attendance this year, and at its recent commencement graduated a class of twelve.

The Theological School has been very prosperous, and has had as large an enrollment as any of the Theological Schools of the country. At the end of last year the arrangement with Dr. Parkhurst, the Pastor of College Avenue Church at Greencastle, was discontinued.

It is with regret that we say that Dean Bowman, a member of this Conference, was obliged to resign January 1, 1890, on account of the failing health of his wife, and remove with her to a different climate. Seven years ago Dean Bowman founded this school, and with the aid of Drs. Pocher and Curtis, has raised it to its present state of efficiency.

To fill this vacancy, at our last special meeting we elected Dr. Hilary A. Gobin, President of Baldwin University, Kan., and formerly Professor of Greek in the University, as Dean of the Theological School, to commence his labors at the beginning of the school year next fall. We also transferred Prof. Beals from the Preparatory School to the Theological School to assist in filling out the year. We think the institution very fortunate in securing the services of Dean Gobin. We expect that soon a Professor of Pastoral Theology will be elected. Thus equipped, we take great pleasure in recommending this school to the attention and patronage of all who think of entering the ministry.

At his own request Lieutenant May has been relieved from the charge of the Military School in order to return to his regiment. The Joint Board

requested that Lieutenant Williams be detailed by the military authorities at Washington, which was done. The drills, the discipline and the general bearing of the companies of the Military School deserve the highest praise.

In the Normal School Professor Arnold Tompkins was elected Dean. Dean Tompkins is a man of large experience, fine views, and is assisted by a thoroughly competent corps of assistants. The Normal School has had a good attendance. It is not the desire of the Board, nor of the Dean, to attempt in this School to compete in numbers with some of the superficial normal schools of the country, nor do we desire to occupy the time with elementary instruction. Our object is to confine the school entirely to the theory and practice of teaching, and to have an advanced grade of students, already proficient in the elements, who may be sent forth fully equipped and ready to stand in the front rank of the educators in our common and high schools. We have secured the services of a Training School teacher, who comes to us with the highest recommendations. We ask your patronage and your recommendation for this school.

The Music School has been doing excellent work. A very fine vocal teacher has been secured, and the attendance has been increased. The recitals and concerts of this school are of the highest order. Dean Howe is making a deep impress upon the School, and giving it a fine reputation throughout the country, both by his excellence as a teacher, and by his ability as a composer and author of musical text books.

The Art School, under the charge of Dean Mills, increases in numbers. Dean Mills is one of the finest portrait painters in the country, and in all branches of painting we have not seen his equal west of New York City.

Club-houses—one for the Theological School and one for the Normal School—have been very successful, and have given board at a very low rate.

Taking it all in all, we feel that we have nothing but good to report of the University. In its equipment, in its faculty, in its spirit, and in its religious influence, it stands in the very front rank. It is a thoroughly Methodist institution, where we may be assured that none of the so-called higher criticism, and none of the unbelieving tendencies of the age will have a foothold, but a true and devout learning, that goes hand in hand with religion will be inculcated. Our Indiana Methodism should be proud of its great University and give it its hearty support.

We recommend that W. S. Birch and T. B. Redding be elected trustees, and that J. K. Walts and C. G. Hudson be elected visitors to DePauw University, and C. H. Brown and H. J. Norris visitors to the DePauw School of Theology.

FORT WAYNE COLLEGE.

Your committee have given the condition of Fort Wayne College very careful and prolonged consideration.

The institution has had a struggle for existence for many years. The

environments have always been of an adverse character and such as were beyond the control of this Conference.

There is now an indebtedness of $20,000. A state of despondency exists in the Board of Trustees. The conviction seems to be general among the members of this Conference that the College property should be sold and the surplus proceeds of the sale be used for buildings in a new location within our Conference territory.

Your Committee therefore respectfully recommend that steps be taken for a new location for the College, as follows:

1. That the Trustees be instructed to sell the College real estate, and, after paying off the debt, the surplus be used in the erection of a building on the new location which may be selected.
2. That the Board of Trustees be empowered and instructed to pay over to any new Board of Trustees which may be elected any surplus remaining after such sale and to deliver to such new Trustees all assets, notes, apparatus, furniture and other personal property of which the said Trustees are now possessed.
3. That a commission consisting of W S Birch, E. F. Hasty, C. U. Wade, C. E Bacon, W. D. Parr, D. C. Woolpert, H. N. Herrick, C. W. Lynch, and M. H. Mendenhall, be appointed by this Conference to take full charge of the question of changing the location of the College; that the commission invite overtures from the towns in the Conference, stating the amount of land offered for a campus, and the amount of money and other property included in such overtures; that, in our judgment, not less than twenty-five (25) acres of land should be provided for a campus; and that, in order to secure the College, at least the sum of fifty thousand dollars should be donated, in addition to the campus; that the commission allow reasonable time for the maturing of proposals; that they consult the educational authorities of the Church in the matter of location; determine the proper location in due time; that the institution, as reorganized, shall assume the rank of an academy, in harmony with the University curriculum; that the commission have power to employ a financial agent, and to take all the legal and advisory steps necessary to prevent the waste or sacrifice of the College property, and to secure an advantageous sale thereof, and the complete reorganization of the College; that Fort Wayne be allowed to compete with other towns on the same conditions; and that the expenses of the commission be paid out of the College funds.
4. We recommend that the College classes at Fort Wayne be continued only until the end of this Collegiate Year.
5. We recommend that G. H. Hill, A. W. Lamport, W. D. Parr, C. U. Wade and F. G. Browne be elected Trustees of Fort Wayne College; that J. W. Welch be elected Trustee to fill the vacancy caused by the death of R. D. Robinson, and C. E. Bacon to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of W. S. Birch.
6. We recommend that H. M. Lamport, F. G. Browne, L. A. Retts, C E. Disbro, L. J. Naftzger, W. S Boston and J H. Jackson be elected Visitors.
7. *Resolved*, That one thousand dollars be apportioned among the districts and charges, to be used for the benefit of the Conference institution wherever located, and that the sums thus raised be placed in the hands of the Commission on Change of Location, and by them reported to the Conference.

BOSTON SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY.

We are glad to receive a communication from the School of Theology of the Boston University, the oldest of our Theological Schools, and recognize in its location in the center of the great metropolis, and otherwise, special advantages to the Student of Theology. We heartily recommend it to all young men seeking a higher qualification for the great work of the University.

GARRETT BIBLICAL INSTITUTE.

We are greatly pleased to hear of the continued and increasing prosperity of this School of the Prophets, and heartily recommend it to our young men in the University who desire to be well equipped for their life work. The Faculty of the Institution continue to retain their reputation for thoroughness in discipline and instruction. They are earnest, efficient Christian teachers in their respective departments, fully up to the demands of the age, and are doing a grand work in the cause of Christian Education. We recommend J. A. Lewellen, F. G. Browne and W. S. Birch be elected as visitors to Garrett Biblical Institute.

CHILDREN'S DAY.

We recognize the important work that the Board of Education is doing and we pledge to it our earnest support. We recommend:

1. That Children's Day be observed and a collection be taken in all our Sunday Schools, and that this collection be taken and reported separately from educational collections for local objects, and that a separate column be devoted to it in our Conference Minutes.
2. That the Children's Day collection be forwarded to the Board of Education at New York immediately after it is taken and the receipt be presented to the Conference Treasurer as a voucher.

H. N. HERRICK, *Chairman.*

W. H. MENDENHALL, *Secretary.*

ON TEMPERANCE.

Resolved, That we reaffirm our adherence to the teachings of the Discipline of our Church on the question of temperance, viz.: Voluntary total abstinence from all intoxicants as the true ground of personal temperance, and complete legal prohibition of the traffic in intoxicating drinks as the duty of civil governments; and that it is "the wisest policy and the supreme duty of all legislative bodies to enact such legislation that, under the forms of the constitution the people may protect the home against the saloon by no-license votes, under the forms of the constitution, and as soon as possible by constitutional prohibitory amendments," and by enforcing laws that tend to the closing of the saloon; but this action shall not be construed as an indorsement of license.

M. MAHIN, *Chairman.*

L. J. NAFTZGER, *Secretary.*

FREEDMAN'S AID AND SOUTHERN EDUCATION SOCIETY.

Your Committee on the Freedman's Aid and Southern Education Society submit the following report:

We congratulate ourselves that we are able to report an increase of $395.00 over the collections of last year, which indicates an increasing interest in Christian Education in the South.

Because of the very close relation existing between the work of the Society and the welfare of our country, and the urgent claim with which it comes to our Church for its support, we urge the Pastors of the North Indiana Conference to earnestly present this course to their respective charges, and use their utmost endeavor to secure the last dollar apportioned to their charges.

We sincerely recommend to our Conference the Christian Educator, published in the interest of christian education, especially in the South, as helpful in this work. We also call attention of our ministers to the Sunday service and subscription envelopes, as excellent aids in securing the best of results.

Again we refer to the last action of our General Conference, Article 406 of our Discipline, in which the duties of our Presiding Elders are clearly defined, and we urge them to see that this is fulfilled to the letter.

And to aid in this great and important work, we ask that the first Sabbath of July, as far as practicable, be observed as Freedman's Aid and Southern Education Day, at which time the members of this Conference shall take the collection for this Society.

We recommend the re-appointment of our Brother Rev. J.C. Murray, to a Professorship in Gammon Theological Seminary at Atlanta, Ga.

CHAS. E. WHITE.
G. B. WORK.
A. C. GERARD.
Committee.

BOOK CONCERN.

Your Committee on Book Concern beg leave to make the following report:

In response to the request of the Book Committee that its annual report be published in our Conference minutes, and that the Conference shall express their judgment on the question of dividends to annual Conferences patronizing and enjoying incomes from local organs,

1. *Resolved*, That our Secretary be instructed to insert the annual report of the Book Committee in the minutes of this session.

2. *Resolved*, That this Conference advise the Book Committee to consider what may be required in order to an equitable distribution of dividends from the Book Concern in cases where Annual Conferences may be receiving financial aid from local papers patronized and sustained by them or in heir special interest.

3. *Resolved*, That we request the Book Committee at its next session to review the method by which it proposes to distribute one-half of the dividend for 1891 in proportion to the Conference claimants, believing, as we do, that the actual needs of claimants vary in different sections of the church as they do in the Annual Conferences themselves; that the Conference provision for needy cases is apt to be the most meager where the demand is most urgent; that, therefore, a connectional fund should be administered with reference to the needy claimants, instead of their numbers. We further recommend to the consideration of the Committee, where this method does not make it impracticable, to administer Book Concern dividends with reference to the rightful claims of Western preachers whose salaries are so small as to prevent their attendance upon sessions of their Annual Conferences.

4. *Resolved*, That we urge our people to purchase books that can be supplied by the Concern, to subscribe generously for the periodicals, to patronize the department of Sunday-school publications and to remember that they can purchase anything kept in a first-class book house from the Western Methodist Book Concern.

5. *Resolved*, That we, having heard with profit the address of Dr. D. H. Moore, take this occasion to assure him of our satisfaction with his editorship of the Western Christian Advocate, and that we will not suffer the subscription list of the Western to grow less but will diligently seek to make it larger.

H. M. LAMPORT. F. G. BROWNE.
L. E. KNOX. P. J. ALBRIGHT.
A. S WOOTEN. I. W. SINGER.
Committee.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOOK COMMITTEE.

To the Annual Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church:

The Book Committee, as directed by the Discipline, reports to the several Annual Conferences the condition of the publishing interests of the Church.

The death of J. H. Bayliss, D. D., occurring August, 1889, necessitated a special meeting of the committee, which took place September following. At this meeting D. H. Moore, D. D., of the Colorado Conference, was unanimously elected editor of *The Western Christian Advocate*, and within a few days thereafter he entered upon his duties. His six months of editorial supervision are gratifying to the committee as we know they are to the patrons of the paper.

The committee held its second annual session of the present quadrennium in New York City, February 12, 13 and 14.

The Eastern and Western sections held separate sessions February 11, at which time they received the reports of the local committees, and carefully reviewed the work of the past fiscal year.

Reports were received by our committee from all our editors. The reports made and the well known condition and prospepity of the publications give evidence for the most part of wise and energetic editorial supervision. Our periodical literature is invaluable to the ministry and to the Church at large. It fortifies the pastor in his work, serves to educate our people in the spirit, mission, and connectional interests of Methodism, acquaints them with the progress and enterprises of the Church, and stimulates them to a wiser adjustment of their resources to its legitimate and pressing demands. It does all this in addition to the cultivation of a deeper spirituality, a happier and more refined home life, and a more useful citizenship.

The committee is pleased to say that many of our periodicals have a healthy and encouraging increase. The *Methodist Review* has added sixty-five per cent. since the last General Conference to its subscription list, and has now the largest circulation in its history. The aggregate number of weekly *Advocates* and the *Christian Apologist* amounts to 170,000. We are greatly gratified at the popularity and extensive circulation of our Sunday-School literature. The various issues in this department reach millions of our youth and their instructors. The scholarly, practical and suggestive interpretations of the Bible lessons render them of the greatest value to our Sunday-schools, and any disposition in our schools to select other helps in the place of those of our Church must result from a lack of acquaintance with the latter.

We are constrained to call your attention, and to some extent through you the attention of our people, to the books published by our agents in New York and Cincinnati. We need not speak of the value of a pure literature to church, home and personal life, but you will permit us to suggest that the pastors' more intimate knowledge of our publications may be utilized in suggestions to our people, and thus made to subserve their personal good and the good of the Church.

It will not be considered unjust to other authors to call your attention at this time to the great work of Bishop Foster now issuing from our press at New York, whose comprehensive researches, whose logic and rhetoric aglow with spiritual life, will convince the judgment, warm the heart, elevate the spirit and charm the attention of every reader.

The agents have guarded carefully the great interests intrusted to them. Owing to our great building enterprise in New York and the improvement of our property in Chicago, they have sustained added burdens; but the results of the year and the present healthy condition of our publishing interests show a faithful and wise oversight. The obligations of the Church in the achievements of the past year are more than ever due to the local committees at New York and Cincinnati.

The net assets of our publishing houses and their depositories amount to nearly $3,000,000. They have done an aggregate business during the past year of about $2,000,000. The net earnings authorize a liberal distribution to the Annual Conferences. The cash sales, as compared with credit sales, are greater than any previous year. A dividend of $110,000, for the benefit of our Conference Claimants, will be distributed to the Conferences the coming year.

Inasmuch as our publishing interests are established and conducted in the interests of the entire Church, and the profits of our business are always returned to the patrons, either in the maintenance of religious and literary centers that can not as yet be self-supporting, in improving our periodical and Sunday School literature, or returned to the Annual Conference for the purposes prescribed in the Discipline, we suggest that any Conference supporting an independent paper should in equity relinquish its claim to the Conference Claimant Fund distributed to the Annual Conferences from the profits of the Book Concern, to the extent of the amount received from its independent enterprise.

In our report one year ago we reminded you of our great building then in process of erection on Fifth Avenue, New York. It is now completed and occupied. It is a model of stateliness, solidity, and symmetry without, and of beauty, brightness, and adaptability within. It is said to be the most complete and best appointed religious publishing house in the world. It is a worthy memorial of the one hundred years gone, and an "Ebenezer" raised at the beginning of a new century. May it ever serve to develop an

intelligent religious enthusiasm at home, and to secure the evangelization of nations that yet sit in darkness!

Our property on Broadway and Mulberry Street has been sold, and the proceeds, supplemented by money previously earned in our business, are sufficient to meet all the expenses incurred in the erection of the new publishing house. The whole Church will be grateful to know of this concentration of our property into a locality and edifice that will eminently serve our wants, and for the century upon which we have entered be an honor to our Methodism.

AMOS SHINKLE *Chairman.*

G. S. CHADBOURNE, *Secretary.*
NEW YORK, *February* 14, 1890.

METHODIST BOOK CONCERN, NEW YORK.

For Year Ending June 30, 1889.

Assets.—Real Estate	$767,747 59	
Merchandise	647,461 54	
Notes and Accounts	764,662 19	
Cash	99,626 68	
Total Assets		$2,279,498 00
Liabilities.—Bonds	$1,100 00	
Notes	168,471 00	
Accounts	100,326 94	
Total Liabilities		269,897 94
Capital per Ledger		$2,009,600 06
Less estimated amount necessary to fill contracts with subscribers for advance payments	$62,931 51	
Less 20 per cent. on $290,971 30 for possible loss	58,194 26	
		$121,125 77
Net Capital, June 30, 1889		$1,888,474 29
Net Capital, June 30, 1888		1,788,711 39
Net Gain in Assets for the year ending June 30, 1889.		$99,762 90

Sales, November 30, 1889.

Books	$768,756 63
Periodicals	247,276 81
Total	$1,016,033 44

WESTERN METHODIST BOOK CONCERN.

For Year Ending November 30, 1889.

Assets.—Real Estate	$332,125 00	
Merchandise Department	182,374 78	
Manufacturing Department	181,063 93	
Furniture and Fixtures	14 811 00	
Notes and Accounts	293,336 64	
Cash on hand	104,936 38	
Total Assets		$1,108,647 73
Liabilities.—Bonds (redeemable July 1, 1890)	$79,500 00	
Notes and Accounts	71,129 51	
Accrued interest on bonds, due December 1, 1889	2,000 00	
In Chicago	20,116 80	
In St. Louis	2,017 32	
Total Liabilities		$174,763 63
Net Capital, November 30, 1889		$933,884 10
Net Capital, November 30, 1888		844,698 44
Net gain for the year ending November 30, 1889		$89,185 66

Sales, November 30, 1889.

Books	$493,449 45
Periodicals	461,492 98
Total	$954,942 43

SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

The officers and members of the Sunday-School Society submit the following report:

Resolved, That each pastor arrange, in the interest of the Sunday-School Union of the Methodist Episcopal Church, for the observance of Glad Tiding's Day on the third Sunday of October, 1890.

Resolved, That we will oppose every effort to dislodge our own literature from those of our own Sunday-schools where it is now used, and will not cease from our endeavors until all our schools are supplied with our own publications.

We recommend that the Committee on Public Worship at our next annual Conference make provision for holding an anniversary of the Sunday-School Union, to be addressed by such persons as may be selected by the officers of said Society.

We recommend that the Presiding Elders nominate the officers of the Sunday-School Society as the Committee on Sunday-Schools

The following persons are recommended for officers for the ensuing year: President, H. M. Lamport; Vice-Presidents, E. E. Neal, J. K. Walts, W. D. Parr, J. H. Jackson, J. W. Cain and G. B. Work; Secretary, M. S. Marble; Treasurer, J. W. Welch.

M. S. MARBLE, *Secretary.* L. J. NAFTZGER, *President.*

TRACTS.

Your Committee on Tracts beg leave to report as follows:

WHEREAS, There is an increasing and pressing demand upon the Tract Society, resulting from the great increase in our population, and the advancement of our Church at home and abroad, and in order to reach the vast foreign population coming to our shores, and to send to our foreign fields the means of printing religious literature in the different languages of the people; therefore be it

Resolved, That we will, as pastors, endeavor to raise the full amount apportioned to our charges.

The receipts this year were $202.00, an increase over last year of $55.50.

E. M BAKER. }
R. S. REED. } *Committee.*

PARSONAGES AND FURNITURE.

We recommend that every charge secure a convenient and suitably located parsonage and place in it all heavy furniture and carpets.

J. K. WALTS.
D. C. WOOLPERT.
A. S. ROGERS.
L. A. BEEKS.
Committee.

THE W. F. M. S.

We recognize in the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society a most needful and successful department of Missionary enterprise, and will encourage its operations among the women, young ladies and children of our charges, and will welcome and assist those who may come to organize where there is no Auxiliary. We also express our appreciation of the efficient services of Mrs. C. G. Hudson, Conference Secretary, and Mrs. Rosalie Fisher, Conference Treasurer.

J. K. WALTS.
L. A. BEEKS.
H. N. HERRICK.
Committee.

THE W. H. M. S.

WHEREAS, The Woman's Home Missionary Society is one of our most important departments of Church work, most warmly adopted by our General Conference of 1884 and 1888; therefore, be it

Resolved (1), That the alarming influx of foreigners in our midst awakens a just fear of the overthrow of our christian institutions and government.

Resolved (2), As the Woman's Home Missionary Society has for its object the evangelization of not only these immigrants, but the Chinese, Mormons, Spanish, Indians, poor whites, blacks and depraved in cities and towns, we will do all in our power to aid and advance this noble Christian work, by the organization of Auxiliaries in all of our charges where there are none.

Resolved (3), That we highly appreciate the work of Mrs. Col. Springer and the interest she has awakened throughout the Conference.

L. A. BEEKS.
J. K. WALTS.
H. N. HERRICK.
Committee.

THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

Your Committee on the American Bible Society beg leave to report as follows:

This Society is an auxiliary to every Christian effort. Its work is both missionary and benevolent. To all classes the Bible is sold at the mere cost of production; while to the poor it is given without money and without price. The object of the Society is to supply every destitute family in the country with the Scriptures, and to do this in their own tongue.

Special attention is given to the translation and circulation of the Bible in foreign lands. Eleven District Superintendents are in the field, and 337,807 Bibles and Testaments were distributed during the past year. One million and a half of Bibles and Testaments, and portions of the same are issued annually from the presses of the Society. We would therefore recommend the passage of the following resolutions:

1. We will give to this great non-sectarian institution our earnest prayers.
2. We recommend the District Superintendent, Rev. W. J. Vigus, to our people, and extend to him a cordial invitation to our charges, and we will take collections in all our charges for this cause.

N. GILLAM, *Chairman.* THOMAS SELLS, *Secretary.*

ARMY AND NAVY CHAPLAINCIES.

The Army and Navy may be looked upon as our home guard—the guards of the homes of this nation. Twenty-five thousand men are enrolled for this purpose, and these are gathered largely into 134 posts or stations, only thirty-four of which are provided with chaplains.

The circumstances and conditions of these men are peculiar—they rarely having the privilege of enjoying religious instruction and public worship, unless it is afforded within the limits of army regulations.

As a natural result of this comparative isolation, gambling, drinking, profanity and kindred evils prevail to an alarming extent. The government owes it to these men whom it has called into its service to afford them every safeguard and opportunity for mental and spiritual improvement, so that when released from service the elements of good citizenship may be developed rather than destroyed. We therefore indorse the action of the last General Conference in considering carefully the matter, and respectfully submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That we earnestly petition our Representatives and Senators to favor such legislation as will afford suitable religious instructors for all departments of our army and navy.

W. J. VIGUS.
W. D. PARR.
W. H. DANIEL.
Committee.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

I have carefully examined the Minutes of the Kokomo District Conference, which was held at Jolietville March 3, 1890, Rev. E. E. Neal Secretary and find that all of the requirements of the discipline have been complied with, and the Minutes neatly and carefully kept.

R. M. BARNS, *Committee.*

SECRETARY'S ACCOUNTS.

Your committee appointed to audit the accounts of the Secretary find them correct, and a balance of $7.14 in the treasury, which we recommend to be given to the Secretary.

M. S. MARBLE.
E. E NEAL.
A. C. GERARD.
Committee.

TREASURER'S ACCOUNTS.

Your committee appointed to audit the Treasurer's accounts report their work completed, and that the Treasurer's accounts are correct.

J. K. WALTS.
WILLIAM D. PARR.
Committee.

GIFTS TO THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

The Conference directed the insertion of a notice of the gift to the Memorial Fund of the Board of Church Extension, amounting to $250.00, made by Mrs. Fanny Wright, of Market Street Church, Logansport, in memory of her husband, the late Rev. C. P. Wright, a member of this Conference.

Also of a gift to the same, amounting to $1,000.00, made by Brother Joseph Sample, of Marion.

C. G. HUDSON, *Secretary.*

THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY.

The committee appointed to examine into the administration of the Board of Control of the Preachers' Aid Society report that they have considered the matters referred to them as fully as their time would permit, and they recommend that the administration of the Board be approved. We further recommend that the Board be instructed to use all diligence to collect the unpaid donation notes, especially from those who are not now members of the Conference; and that they follow the letter of the Constitution as closely as they can without oppressing the needy.

A. GREENMAN, *Secretary.* M. MAHIN, *Chairman.*

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY.

Notes on donation in the hands of the Agent not considered good	$713 00
Notes on donation in the hands of the Agent considered good	2,895 00
Notes secured by mortgage and personal security	5,722 00
Cash in the hands of the Treasurer for investment	4,095 72
Total cash and good notes	12,712 72
Amount to be disbursed to Conference Claimants this year	553 70

W. S. BIRCH, *Secretary.*

APPORTIONMENTS.

Your committee to apportion the various benevolences and the Episcopal Fund submit the following report:

The Conference is requested to raise for Missions	$15,500
Church extension	3,500
Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society	2,982
Education	1,000
Sunday-School Union	700
Tract Cause	700
Conference claimants	6,000
Episcopal Fund	1,742

Which we have apportioned to the districts as follows:

DISTRICTS.	Missions.	Conf'nce Claimants	Church Extens'n.	F. A. & S. E. So	Educat'n	Sunday Schools.	Tracts.	Episcopal Fund.
Fort Wayne	$2,665	$ 902	$527	$456	$155	$107	$107	$260
Goshen	2,367	838	589	425	145	100	100	240
Kokomo	2,290	1,057	616	477	160	112	112	304
Muncie	2,740	1,150	670	580	180	137	137	337
Richmond	2,668	1,009	590	511	170	120	120	293
Warsaw	2,767	1,042	608	533	190	126	126	308

A. E. MAHIN, *Secretary.*

STEWARD'S REPORT.

Names of Claimants.	No. of Years as Claimants.	Class.	Basis.	Class Basis.	Dividends.	To Whom Delivered.
L. W. Monson	7	4	$400	$400	$197	W. J. Vigus.
Wm. Lash	5	4	400	400	197	E. M. Baker.
G. W. Bowers	26	4	400	400	197	Himself.
J. W. Miller	5	4	350	350	172	C. G. Hudson.
J. W. Smith	9	4	100	100	50	O. S. Harrison.
R. A. Newton	19	4	400	400	197	W. E. Medsker.
J. C. Medsker	21	4	250	250	123	C. G. Hudson.
H. N. Barns	13	4	200	200	99	W. J. Vigus.
J. Harrison	8	4	400	400	197	O. S. Harrison.
R. D. Spellman	11	4	200	200	99	Himself.
R. Tobey	7	4	400	400	197	M. Mahin.
J. S. McCarty	3	4	200	200	99	Himself.
Y. B. Meredith	3	4	400	400	197	A. S. Wooten.
G. Havens	12	4	200	200	99	C. G. Hudson.
J. H. McMahon	8	4	300	300	148	Himself.
D. F. Stright	4	4	400	400	197	Himself.
L. Roberts	4	4	400	400	197	Himself.
E. M. Baker	8	4	400	400	197	Himself.
W. Anderson	12	4	400	400	197	J. K. Walts.
N. T. Peddycord	3	4	200	200	99	C. G. Hudson.
J. P. Nash	9	4	400	400	197	Himself.
C. W. Church	4	4	250	250	123	J. A. Beaty.
Mrs. Mann	9	4	250	250	123	J. P. D. John.
Mrs. E. Colclazer	12	4	150	150	74	C. C. Albertson.
Mrs. H. Colclazer	12	4	300	300	148	W. H. Daniel.
Mrs. Beeks	4	4	200	200	99	C. G. Hudson.
Mrs. Meck	3	4	250	250	123	C. H. Brown.
Mrs. Hall	10	4	300	300	148	A. S. Preston.
Mrs. Black	22	4	250	250	123	W. S. Boston.
Mrs. Martindale	5	4	200	200	99	W. J. Vigus.
Mrs. Greer	2	4	150	150	74	D. C. Woolpert.
P. Carland	5	4	100	100	50	J. Heim.
W. E. McCarty	2	4	150	150	74	Himself.
W. O. Pierce	2	4	200	200	99	J. A. Lewellen.
Mrs. Lewellen	1	4	50	50	25	G. S. V. Howard.
A. Greenman	2	4	300	300	148	Himself.
J. H. Lowry	3	4	400	400	197	Himself.
H. J. Lacy	2	4	250	250	123	Himself.
J. Johnston	2	4	200	200	99	Himself.
Mrs. Payton	4	3	200	150	74	C. G. Hudson.
Mrs. Brenton	4	4	150	150	74	R. M. Barns.
Mrs. Mary Baker	4	3	150	113	56	T. W. Williams.
Mrs. Edmondson	25	3	300	225	111	C. H. Brown.
Mrs. Andrew	3	3	300	225	111	J. S. McElwee.
J. Maffit	26	3	400	300	148	A. L. Lamport.
I. Cooper	9	3	150	113	56	C. C. Albertson.
T. C. Neal	2	3	300	225	111	Himself.
Mrs. Lemon	1	4	100	100	50	J. A. Lewellen.
M. Wayman	1	4	400	400	197	Himself.
W. E. Curtiss	1	4	250	250	123	L. A. Sevits.
H. Woolpert	1	4	400	400	197	D. C. Woolpert.
W. B. Randolph	1	1	300	300	148	W. M. Nelson.

The following is our report of funds received: From Conference Collections, $4,540.00; from Preacher's Aid Society, $651.84; from Book Concern Dividends, $1,557.00; chartered fund, $30.00. Total, $6,778.00, which has been distributed as above. We recommend that $5,000.00 be apportioned to the Districts for Conference Claimants for next year.

J. W. Welch. C. E. Disbro.
E. Holdstock. A. W. Lamport.
C. King. *Stewards.*

CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT, 1890.

DISTRICT.	THIS YEAR.	LAST YEAR.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
1. *Missions*—				
Fort Wayne	$2,201 00	$1,848 00	$353 00	.....
Goshen	2,110 00	2,068 00	42 00	.....
Kokomo	1,699 00	1,742 00	.....	$43 00
Muncie	3,122 00	2,437 00	685 00	.....
Richmond	1,736 63	2,049 00	.....	312 37
Warsaw	2,221 00	2,040 00	181 00	.....
Total	$13,089 63	$12,184 00	$905 00	.....
2. *Church Extension*—				
Fort Wayne	$180 00	$112 00	$68 00	.....
Goshen	220 00	242 00	.....	22 00
Kokomo	183 00	179 00	4 00	.....
Muncie	278 00	259 00	19 00	.....
Richmond	409 60	191 00	218 60	.....
Warsaw	230 00	228 00	2 00	.....
Total	$1,500 60	$1,211 00	$289 60	.....
3. *S. S. Union*—				
Fort Wayne	$36 00	$20 00	$16 00	.....
Goshen	65 00	26 00	39 00	.....
Kokomo	39 00	34 00	5 00	.....
Muncie	41 00	41 00	.....	.....
Richmond	27 60	25 00	2 60	.....
Warsaw	28 00	30 00	.....	2 00
Total	$236 60	$176 00	$60 60	
4. *Tract Society*—				
Fort Wayne	$33 00	$17 00	$16 00	.....
Goshen	61 00	25 00	36 00	.....
Kokomo	34 50	25 00	8 50	.....
Muncie	24 00	27 00	.....	3 00
Richmond	19 10	26 00	.....	6 90
Warsaw	25 00	25 00	.....	.....
Total	$111 60	$145 00	.....	$33 40
5. *Freedman's Aid & S. Ed. Society*—				
Fort Wayne	$178 00	$111 00	$67 00	.....
Goshen	220 00	226 00	.....	6 00
Kokomo	188 00	179 00	9 00	.....
Muncie	292 00	249 00	43 00	.....
Richmond	368 00	189 00	179 00	.....
Warsaw	290 00	187 00	103 00	.....
Total	$1,536 00	$1,141 00	$395 00	.....
6. *Education*—				
Fort Wayne	$190 00	$174 00	$16 00	.....
Goshen	158 00	157 00	1 00	.....
Kokomo	109 00	105 00	4 00	.....
Muncie	132 50	259 00	.....	$126 50
Richmond	86 45	109 00	.....	12 55
Warsaw	193 43	131 00	.....	62 43
Total	$869 38	$935 00	.....	$65 62
7. *American Bible Society*—				
Fort Wayne	$38 00	$82 00	.....	$44 00
Goshen	24 25	38 00	.....	13 75
Kokomo	37 50	44 00	.....	6 50
Muncie	66 00	57 00	.....	9 00
Richmond	44 60	56 00	.....	11 40
Warsaw	53 90	67 00	.....	13 10
Total	$264 25	$344 00	.....	$79 75
8. *Woman's F. M. S.*—				
Fort Wayne	$616 33	$506 00	$110 33	.....
Goshen	359 50	577 00	217 50	.....
Kokomo	511 25	412 00	89 25	.....
Muncie	639 45	430 00	209 45	.....
Richmond	657 00	474 00	183 00	.....
Warsaw	390 60	680 00	.....	$289 40
Total	$3,174 13	$3,079 00	$95 13	.....

DISTRICT.	THIS YEAR.	LAST YEAR.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
9. *W. H. M. S.*—				
Fort Wayne	$149 50	$130 00	$19 50	
Goshen	395 58	83 00	312 58	
Kokomo	82 12	2 00	80 12	
Muncie	314 00	13 00	301 00	
Richmond	160 00	51 00	109 00	
Warsaw	563 40	293 00	270 40	
Total	$1,661 60	$572 00	$1,192 60	
10. *Conference Claimants*—				
Fort Wayne	$713 00	$627 00	$86 00	
Goshen	764 00	617 00	147 00	
Kokomo	631 00	608 00	23 00	
Muncie	737 00	796 00		$59 00
Richmond	710 20	811 00		101 00
Warsaw	903 00	762 00		141 00
Total	$4,458 20	$4,221 00	$247 20	
Received From—				
Book Concern	$1,557 00	$1,435 00	$122 00	
Chartered Fund	30 00	30 00		
Preacher's Aid Society	651 84	8 00		148 16
A. W. Lamport	65 00			
Total	$6,762 04	$6,486 00	$276 04	
11. *Episcopal Fund*—				
Fort Wayne	$281 00	$214 00	$67 00	
Goshen	253 00	196 00	57 00	
Kokomo	223 00	195 00	28 00	
Muncie	318 50	237 00	81 50	
Richmond	225 50	239 00		$13 50
Warsaw	292 00	244 00		48 00
Total	$1,592 00	$1,325 00	$267 00	
12. *General Conference Expenses*—				
Fort Wayne	$15 65			
Goshen	7 05			
Kokomo	12 25			
Muncie	17 00			
Richmond	14 00			
Warsaw				
Total	$65 95			
13 *Children's Day*—				
Fort Wayne				
Goshen				
Kokomo	$6 00			
Muncie	11 00			
Richmond	6 00			
Warsaw	5 00			
Total	28 00			

Treasurer's Balance			$30,756 77
Forwarded as per Vouchers		$6,932 26	
Paid to Cranston & Stowe			
For Missionary Society	$12,167 72		
For Church Extension	1,107 60		
For Freedman's Aid and S. Ed. Soc	1,141 00		
For Board of Education	436 45		
For Tract Society	180 30		
For S. S. Union	218 10		
For Episcopal Fund	1,563 50		
For General Conference Expenses	65 95		
For Children's Day	28 00		
		$16,903 62	
To Board of Stewards		6,762 04	
To Bible Society, per W. J. Vigus		111 85	
To W. F. M. S		42 00	
To W. H. M. S		5 00	
		$30,756 77	$30,756 77

Audited and found correct.

J K. WALTS,
WILLIAM D. PARR, } *Committee.*

J. I. MCCOY,
Treasurer.

IN MEMORIAM.

Deceased Members of the North Indiana Conference.

"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

Entered Traveling Ministry.	Cherished Names.	Time of Death.	Age.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
1832	Zachariah Games	December 11, 1844	47	10
1814	Burrows Westlake	April 17, 1845	53	31
1841	Elijah S. Blue	December 19, 1845	36	4
1833	Philip May	September 4, 1846	40	13
1845	Isaac King	October 21, 1847	.....	2
1844	Jeremiah Early	November 5, 1847	27	3
1832	Amasa Johnson	December 8, 1850	46	18
1828	Miles Huffaker	July 27, 1852	46	23
1836	Francis Richmond	January 20, 1853	50	17
1851	Charles Ketcham	October 16, 1854	40	3
1852	Wm. S. Robinson	July 11, 1855	35	3
1827	Samuel C. Cooper	July 19, 1856	57	29
1830	Samuel Brenton	March 29, 1856	46	19
1851	William H. Metts	January 20, 1857	29	6
1854	James A. Stallard	October 16, 1857	42	2
1855	Almon Clark	October 16, 1857	29	2
1849	James E. Elrod	March 12, 1858	34	9
1857	*Jos. R. Downey	 1860	.....	2
1859	S. L. Sanford	 1861	30	2
1853	W. R. Edmondson	November 17, 1864	34	11
1861	Sylvanus Hover	July 13, 1864	.....	3
1843	Orvil P. Boyden	August 22, 1865	46	22
1851	Thomas Colclazer	September 26, 1865	55	14
1852	W. Palmer	 1868	.....	16†
1861	C. W. Timmons	 1869	42	8†
1824	Augustus Eddy	February 9, 1870	71	46
1834	James Black	September 7, 1870	65	37
1837	John B. Birt	April 24, 1870	64	33
1854	Asbury Andrew	July 19, 1870	45	16
1840	Charles W. Miller	April 8, 1872	55	31
1854	Thomas Comstock	June 17, 1872	43	14
1852	C. Brock	 1873	46	20
1836	Hawley B. Beers	May 7, 1873	63	37
1870	James W. Brown	March 2, 1874	24	4
1866	George S. Jenkins	October 27, 1874	43	8
1866	William Comstock	December 11, 1875	43	9
1866	Benjamin P. Baker	October 18, 1875	40	9
1872	Henry C. Jordan	August 12, 1876	26	4
1843	Samuel Lamb	November 8, 1876	68	33
1845	John R. Davis	May 17, 1877	65	32
1826	Robert Burns	October 2, 1877	83	51
1871	John M. Brown	January 20, 1878	43	7
1869	Thomas M. Bell	September 2, 1878	46	9
1836	Greenbury C. Beeks	October 23, 1878	70	32
1850	Francis A. Sale	February 12, 1879	62	29
1859	John F. Pierce	May 18, 1879	44	20
1836	William H. Goode	December 16, 1879	72	43
1847	Emanuel Hall	March 29, 1880	56	33
1841	John W. Bradshaw	May 17, 1880	71	39
1845	Valentine M. Beamer	June 27, 1880	58	33
1855	David P. Hartman	August 13, 1880	64	25
1846	Silas T. Stout	December 23, 1880	58	34
1856	John M. Mann	October 30, 1881	50	25
1847	Samuel Neal Campbell	September 28, 1882	66	35
1850	Eli Rammel	October 26, 1882	66	32
1854	James H. Hutchison	January 14, 1883	72	28
1845	Ezra Maynard	November 8, 1883	67	38
1849	John H. Payton	December 14, 1883	67	34
1853	Charles P. Wright	April 29, 1884	58	31
1857	John C. Mahin	February 6, 1885	52	28
1836	Jacob Colclazer	December 24, 1885	73	49
1854	Abia M. Kerwood	March 25, 1886	74	32
1855	Humphrey J. Meck	November 20, 1887	66	33
1884	Eli R. Small	February 26, 1888	35	4
1856	Charles Martindale	May 15, 1888	51	32
1838	Josiah J. Cooper	June 17, 1888	79	50
1864	James Greer	December 8, 1888	52	25
1888	Henry L. Watson	January 2, 1889	40	1
1845	Reuben D. Robinson	August 18, 1889	71	45
1841	Orange V. Lemon	September 30, 1889	76	49
1864	Alpheus J. Lewellen	November 14, 1889	65	26
1871	Richard B. Powell	March 8, 1890	43	19

*Missionary to India. †No Memoirs.

MEMOIRS.

THE REV. REUBEN D. ROBINSON, M. D., D. D.

Reuben Davisson Robinson was born in Clark county, Ohio, August 10 1818, and died in the city of Indianapolis August 18, 1889, aged seventy-one years and eight days.

When he was quite young his parents removed to Indiana, and settled in Tippecanoe county, five miles west of Lafayette, on a farm, where our brother spent his youth and remained until he was of age. He was blessed with an excellent Methodist parentage, his father being an exhorter and an active member of the church, and his mother being one of the most devoted of women. Their home was ever the abode of the itinerant. Under such influences, Dr. Robinson began a life of prayer, as he himself records, at the age of eight, joined the church at fourteen, and was soundly and satisfactorily converted at fifteen.

Upon attaining his majority, he felt his need of education, and enrolled himself as one of the students of Asbury University, where he completed his course and graduated with the degree of A. B. in 1843. In 1845 he took the degree of A. M. *in cursu*, and in 1873 the Indiana University conferred upon him the honorary degree of D. D.

Upon the completion of his collegiate course, he began the study of medicine, with Dr. Deming, of Lafayette, as preceptor. He entered upon the practice of that profession, which he followed for a short time. But feeling within him the divine call to preach, he soon surrendered this chosen profession, gave up all, and presented himself before the North Indiana Conference in 1845 for admission on trial. He was received, in due time admitted in full, ordained deacon by Bishop Janes, at Indianapolis, and Elder by Bishop Waugh, at Logansport.

His appointments were as follows: '45, Independence Circuit; '46, Williamsport; '47–8, Newport; '49–50, Logansport; '51, Wayne St., Fort Wayne; '52–3, Professor in Fort Wayne College; '54–66, President of Fort Wayne College, at the same time in '64 and '65 serving as Presiding Elder of Fort Wayne and of Warsaw Districts; '66,Centennial Conference Agent; '67–8 Trinity Church, Indianapolis; '68–71, Presiding Elder of Indianapolis District; '72, Presiding Elder of Greensburgh District; '73–4–5–6, President of Fort Wayne College; '77-80, Presiding Elder of Kokomo District; '81, Elkhart; '82–5, Presiding Elder of Muncie District; '86–8, Greenfield; '89, Superintendent of the Board of Control of Deaconess' Work.

In 1864 he was the leader of the delegation in this Conference in the

General Conference. For a long time he has been one of the Trustees of Fort Wayne College. He has for years been the Chairman of our Committee on Education, and at the time of his death was one of our visitors to DePauw University.

September 1, 1847, he was married to Miss Mary K. Mahurin, who has faithfully shared with him all the toils of his long and useful life, gladdened his home, inspired his work and now mourns her unspeakable loss, together with their three daughters and one son. These daughters and this son have all reached manhood and womanhood, finished their education, the son graduating at DePauw a few months before his father's death. They are all earnest Christians, and together with their mother look forward to the hour when they shall join husband and father, an unbroken family circle, in the heavens.

Dr. Robinson was a loving husband, a tender and careful father, for whom it was a pleasure to make any sacrifice for his family. He was a man of marked ability in any and every department of church work. He was eloquent in the pulpit, possessing a grand command of language, and speaking with all the unction of a man who believes with all his heart in his message. He was an excellent pastor. He was an efficient Presiding Elder, tenderly caring for the interests of his preachers, defending them eloquently, preserving their secrets, and never babbling about them before the laity. As Professor and President of Fort Wayne College, both in the departments of instruction and of executive administration, he carried the Institution through one of the darkest periods of its history, and by his counsels and influence in its Board of Trustees, he aided in maintaining it to this hour.

In the Conference Dr. Robinson was a wise, safe, careful councilor, and was loved and honored by all. He never carried the heat of debate into private life. He was the friend of the young men, a brother to the older members, and always spoke kindly of the fathers. His gentle, kind, and cheerful words brought sunshine into our sessions, while his genial humor wreathed our faces in smiles. We shall miss him deeply, and the sense of this loss time will strengthen, not efface. Diligent, faithful, sincere, his faults were few, his virtues were many.

When, at our last Conference, he finished his pastorate at Greenfield and was put in control of Deaconess' work his force was not abated and he promised yet many years of usefulness. Eleven days before his death the writer met him in the Joint Board of Trustees and Visitors of DePauw University and thought he never seemed more hale. He took part in the debates and was exceedingly cordial in his private conversation.

The last day of his life was the Sabbath. Every hour of that day, even up to the last he seemed in his usual health. He led the household devotions in the morning, kissed his wife affectionately at the time of going to the morning service, and wished she could accompany him. He attended at

Robert's Park. At dinner he expressed his thankfulness for God's mercies. He spent the afternoon in conversation with his wife and in reading. In the evening he attended the Murphy meeting at Tomlinson Hall. Here he made an earnest prayer for the divine blessing on the temperance cause. At the close of the service he spent some moments in social converse and handshaking, and started for home. When within one square of his dwelling he was seen by some young men to stagger and fall. Some ran to his assistance and others for a physician, but when the physician arrived he was dead. Thus painlessly, suddenly and desirably was he translated, and was not, for God had taken him.

His last sermon was preached the week before at Castleton, from the text, "There Shall Be No Night There." His sermon is said to have been full of premonition, and for an hour he talked of Heaven as he only can do who is almost there.

His funeral took place August 21st, at Robert's Park Church, and was conducted by the Rev. W. S. Birch, assisted by the Revs. Keen, Gillett and many others of the Conference and of the pastors in the city. His remains were buried in Crown Hill Cemetery.

Surely one of the purest and most devoted ministers of the Lord Jesus Christ has gone from our ranks to join the host above. The beautiful life he lived he has left behind him as an example for us, that we should follow in his steps. We look forward to the day when we shall greet him in the rest above.

THE REV. ORANGE V. LEMON.

Orange V. Lemon was born in Clark county O., January 27, 1813, and died in the city of Richmond, Ind., September 30, 1889, at the age of 76 years, 8 months and 3 days. His father was of Scotch-Irish decent, and came from Virginia.

Brother Lemon was raised on a farm, and gleaned his education in the district schools. He learned the tanner's trade, and followed it for five or six years in Springfield and Cincinnati. In 1835 he moved to LaPorte county, Ind., where he entered eighty acres of government land. This he farmed for several years. Here he felt the call to preach, and settled the question that he would devote his life to the service of the ministry. In 1841, he was appointed by the Rev. Aaron Wood as a supply on the Warsaw Circuit. This year he was admitted on trial in the Indiana Conference, and was re-appointed to Warsaw. From this time for thirty seven years he was engaged in effective and arduous work. At the division of the Indiana Conference, his membership fell in the North Indiana Conference, of which he remained a member as long as he lived.

The statement of his work is as follows: '41–2, Warsaw Circuit; '43, ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrew, appointed to Union; '44, Mishawaka; '45 ordained Elder by Bishop Hamline, appointed to Terre Coupee Circuit;

'46, Marion Circuit; '47–8–9–50, Presiding Elder of Peru District; 51–2–3–4, agent of Fort Wayne College; '55, Centerville and Cambridge; '56–7–8, agent of the American Bible Society; '59–60–1–2, Presiding Elder of the Richmond District, except some months in 1861–2, when he was Chaplain of the 36th Regiment of Indiana Volunteers.

1863–4–5–6 he was Presiding Elder of the Muncie District. In 1867 he was made Financial Agent for the North Indiana Conference, his Agency covering the interests and accounts of the Preachers' Aid Society, Asbury University, Mission House, Garrett Biblical Institute, and Fort Wayne College. These trusts he continued to hold until he superannuated. In 1870 he supplied a vacancy as Presiding Elder of Anderson District, but relinquished the appointment at Conference in order to devote his entire attention to the agency. 1873–4–5–6, he was Presiding Elder of Goshen District. In 1877 he was sent to White Water Circuit, where he remained one year, and in 1878, at the session at Anderson he was obliged by failing health to take a superannuated relation.

His long service comprised eight years in the pastorate, sixteen and a fraction in the Presiding Eldership, ten in Financial Agencies, and some months as Army Chaplain. During this time he was one of the most active and influential men in this body. He was elected as a Delegate to the General Conference at the sessions of 1856, 1864, and 1872, and was a Reserve Delegate in 1868. He was also a member of the Book Committee of the Methodist Episcopal Church from 1872 to 1876.

During our sessions he always took a keen interest in all our business. Rising to the front of the Conference early in his ministry by his ability and influence, he held his commanding station until failing health compelled his retirement. Kind, thoughtful, fatherly to the young men, tender and loving, he is cherished in the hearts of many of us whom he befriended, and to whom he was a father. The possessor of a melodious voice, he often led our devotions and hymns. How often he would start some stirring lyric, and lead the great volume of melody that went up before the throne. Faithful, earnest, devoted, a pure gospel preacher, there was no one who carried more delicate responsibilities, bore more arduous toils, or whose influence was more deeply felt in our midst than Brother Lemon.

After his superannuation he first resided in Winchester for some years, and then removed to Richmond, where he remained until the day of his death.

He was first married, at the age of twenty, to Miss Rosetta J. Jones, who lived some three years, and left one daughter, who preceded her father to the better world. In 1837 he married Miss Charlotte Warnock, of LaPorte county, who died in Richmond in 1870. She left six sons and two daughters, all of whom are still living, except one son, who died a short time before his father. In 1872 he married Mrs. Mary C. Ferris, his now widowed companion, who faithfully ministered to him during his long illness.

During the years of our brother's superannuation he was greatly afflicted with melancholia, which put him to heavy trials, and often settled into deep despondency, and made him seem unlike his former self. This, however, in a great measure left him before his last days. In the midst of it all he continued to take a deep interest in all the work of the Church, and was glad to see his pastors and brethren. He was deeply grateful for the faithful ministry of his wife and children, and appreciated all their devoted care.

Growing weaker day by day, he at last fell gently asleep. His funeral was held in the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Richmond, and was conducted by his Presiding Elder, the Rev. T. Stabler, assisted by a large delegation of his brethren in the ministry.

Like David, "After he had served his generation by the will of God, he fell on sleep."

THE REV. ALPHEUS J. LEWELLEN.

Alpheus J. Lewellen was born in Randolph county, Virginia, September 8, 1824 When he was about thirteen years of age his parents removed to Indiana, in 1837, and settled in the wilderness in the eastern portion of Delaware county. Here his youth and early manhood were spent battling with the hardships of that early day. His educational advantages were consequently limited to what could be afforded by the schools of that time in that section.

He united with the Methodist Episcopal Church on probation in 1839, and was converted at a camp meeting, held at Campbell's Creek, in August, 1841. July 27, 1846, he was married to Miss Eleanor Kinett, of Windsor, Randolph county, Ind., who is now his widow.

In 1853 he removed to Iowa, and lived there some nine years. In 1862 he was licensed to exhort, in January, and in August of the same year he was licensed to preach by the Rev. J. S. Dimmitt, of the Upper Iowa Conference. Soon thereafter he removed to Mulberry Grove, Ill., and the next year to Smithfield, Ind.

April, 1868, he was appointed as supply on the Montpelier Circuit. At our session in 1864 he was admitted on trial in this Conference. He passed his probation, was admitted, and was ordained deacon by Bishop Clark, at Peru, and Elder by Bishop Thomson, at Warsaw.

His appointments were as follows: Warren Circuit, Alexandria Circuit, Lincoln Circuit, Xenia and Boxley. In '73 and '74 he was supernumerary, but supplied Tipton Station a portion of the time. Being again made effective, he was appointed to Jerome, Eaton, Farmland, Macy, LaGro, Warren, Dunkirk and Upland, where his health failed. With the exception of Warren, he remained in each of these charges two years. At Eaton he built an excellent brick church.

About a month after his appointment to Upland his health failed so that he was obliged to resign his charge. He then took up his residence in Dunkirk, where he continued to live until his death. The greater portion of this time he was very feeble, and it was evident to all that the end was not far away. Here he died in great peace November 14th, 1889, at the age of 65 years.

His funeral was conducted by the Rev. J. W. Welch, assisted by Brothers C. E. White, W. H. Pierce, J. A. Ruley, L. A. Retts and G. S. V. Howard, and was largely attended by his brother ministers and his former parishioners. He was buried at Mount Pleasant, Delaware county, Ind.

Brother Lewellen was a man of great usefulness, beloved by multitudes on the charges he served, and in every way was a successful and faithful minister of the Gospel. Besides his wife he leaves one daughter. He was a man of commanding presence and of exemplary life, whose daily walk exemplified the Gospel he preached. To-day he walks with the Master he served.

THE REV. RICHARD B. POWELL.

Richard B. Powell was born near Whitewater, Wayne county, Ind., January 23, 1847. He was converted at the age of ten years and connected himself with the Methodist Episcopal Church at Whitewater. He received his first license as a local preacher from M. Mahin, Presiding Elder. He was recommended by the Whitewater Quarterly Conference, Richmond District, to the North Indiana Annual Conference and admitted on trial in the spring of 1871, at Huntington. From this Conference he was appointed as junior preacher on the Butler Circuit, which he served one year. His appointments were LaFontaine, one year; Windfall, two years; Spiceland, one year; McCordsville, three years; New Britton, three years; Alto, one year; Cadiz, three years, and Middletown, four years; making in all nineteen years.

Brother Powell was married to Miss Sarah H. Welling, near Indianapolis, Ind., on the 25th day of May, 1876. One daughter was born to them at Alto.

Some three years ago our brother had a severe attack of sickness, from which, it was thought by his friends, he would not recover. Although it did not terminate in immediate death, yet he never fully recovered. However, he continued to perform the labors of a Methodist minister—at times in much bodily weakness, until about ten weeks ago, when he was attacked with the then prevailing epidemic, which developed heart failure, attended with severe suffering. He seemed from the first to be impressed that his time had come, and to be anxious to depart. When his companion talked hopefully of his recovery, his reply was, "Don't be deceived." Of the end he talked freely and with the utmost confidence and resignation. Among the many beautiful things he said, he gave utterance with emphasis to this

expression: "I have never desired to be a great man, but have greatly desired to be a good man."

He departed this life on the 8th day of March, at the parsonage in Middletown, Ind., aged 43 years, 1 month and 13 days. A wife, one daughter, a mother and two brothers, one of whom is of our number, the Rev. D. D. Powell, with a number of friends mourn his departure.

His funeral services were held in the church of which he was pastor, at Middletown, by his Presiding Elder, the Rev. T. Stabler, assisted by a number of his brethren in the Conference, and his body was interred by the I. O. O. F.

Brother Powell was an earnest and active worker, and by his pleasing address, his cordial greetings, as well as by his noble Christian character, won the admiration and esteem of all. In society generally, as well as in church work, his good influence was felt. As a pastor Brother Powell was highly esteemed and his untiring efforts were appreciated of men and blessed of God. The members of the churches he served were especially attached to him, and remembered him with kindness. He was an enterprising citizen, a companionable gentleman, a faithful friend, and was always willing to extend aid where needed, to the extent of his ability. None knew him but to bear testimony to his good character. In all the walks of life where good is to be done, Brother Powell will be sadly missed. He will be especially missed in the home so saddened by his death. While his words of comfort and cheer, his noble counsel and kindly advice will no more be heard by wife or child, they will not be forgotten. The remembrance of his love, and of his pure life and Christian character, will ever be to them a source of consolation as the years carry the bereft ones nearer the reunion beyond. Until then may the God of the widow and of the fatherless be their stay.

MRS. MARY I. LAMPORT.

Mary Isabella Sweeny was born near Mishawaka, Ind., October 28, 1847. She was a frail child, and battled with some form of disease all her life. When eight years of age she was orphaned by the death of her father, and in the following year doubly orphaned by the death of her mother. But friends were raised up who cared for and shared their home with her.

At the age of fifteen, in 1862, she was converted under the labors of the now sainted Thomas Comstock. Her conversion was clear, and as a result, her whole Christian life was even and firm.

She was married to our bereaved brother, with whom we so tenderly sympathize, May 7, 1868. Three precious children were bestowed upon them. The eldest born died in his third year, and two sons are left to their father in the desolate home.

Sister Lamport most willingly shared with her husband all the toils and responsibilities of the Methodist itineracy for eighteen years. She took part

in every labor, was diligent in all the means of grace, and made herself felt and loved in all the important and responsible charges in which they were stationed. Her husband ever looked to her for cheer, and found inspiration and courage. Her presence made the home light about her. The people loved her wherever she went, and cherished her memory. She always sustained herself in trying positions, and did far more than her frail health and frequent illness would warrant.

When she and her husband returned to the First Church, Richmond, for the second pastorate, her health was exceedingly frail. She was a constant sufferer, and could do but little in pastoral work, yet she taught in the Sunday-School a large class of twenty-four young ladies until within a few weeks of her death.

Just five weeks previous to her departure she was taken alarmingly ill, and steadily grew weaker until life ended on Sabbath morning, May 26th, 1889, at 7 o'clock. The long and painful struggle of her illness was relieved by the remarkable quietness with which she finally yielded up her life; yet, with commendable devotion, she earnestly desired to live for the sake of her children and husband.

During the early portion of her illness she received one night a wondrous baptism. In answer to the question if she were sleeping well she said: "None at all; God has so wondrously blessed me that I can not sleep for joy. Never but once have I received such annointing from God. It must be that he intends to heal me, soul and body." Again that night she said: "I've never been so happy before; I keep singing in a whisper lest I should disturb the rest of you, but I feel like shouting aloud the praises of God." Thus she continued to testify and in the morning joined in the family worship and song.

In this precious experience she continued, praying to be raised up, if it were the Divine will. But when the final hour came her husband said to her: "Mamma, do you know you are dying?" She seemed surprised at the question, and asked: "Does the Doctor say so?" "Yes," he answered, "the Doctor says that this is death." "All right," she said, "all right." Then she gave a message to her brother for his wife, saying, "Tell Mary to be a faithful Christian and meet me in Heaven." Then, after some lingering and much pain, she closed her beautiful life like the quiet breathing of an infant.

There was a large gathering of the people to the services held in her memory in the First Church, Richmond, which were conducted by Dr. Stabler and Dr. Mahin; her remains were taken to Mishawaka for interment and the Rev. F. T. Simpson preached the sermon in the Methodist Episcopal Church in that place in the presence of a large circle of friends and kindred.

May the Divine grace and the promises of that Gospel, of which our brother has been called to be a minister, be his abundant stay, strengthen him in his doubled responsibilities and keep him to the joyful day of the eternal reunion.

MRS. ELIZABETH CAIN.

Elizabeth Fearnow, daughter of David and Mary Ann Fearnow, and wife of the Rev. J. S. Cain, was born in Morgan county, West Virginia, February 15, 1851 She was brought up in the place of her birth, and lived there until her marriage.

She was reared under religious influences. In early girlhood she was converted, and united with the United Brethren Church. From the time of her conversion to her death she was an earnest, devoted Christian, and an active worker in the church.

She was married to our sorely-stricken Brother at Kempton, January 25, 1878, at the time of Brother Cain's pastorate in that charge. As his wife, filling such a position of responsibility in the church, she proved herself to be a remarkable woman. She identified herself closely with all the interests of the churches. With intelligence and energy she anticipated every demand and every need of the pastorate and of the church. There was no part of our work in which she did not take an interest.

She was greatly interested in our woman's missionary societies, and usually took lead in them. Her chief delight was in the care and instruction of the children of the church. Childless herself, yet was she a mother of the children in their charges, and in this particular field of usefulness she was especially blessed. She was a constant companion of her husband in all his work. In the social meetings and in revival services her presence and labors were powerful inspirations to all. She often took charge of the social services in the absence of her husband, and shared with him his pastoral labors.

Sister Cain's death took place at their home in Nappanee, February 4, 1890. Failing health caused her departure to be expected for some time previous. She was confined to her room for several weeks, but was not confined to her bed the entire day at any time. For years pulmonary weakness had given prophecy of the inevitable end, and an attack of the prevailing influenza hastened her death. She was sustained in great peace, and without a fear went down to the river hand in hand with the Redeemer she had served so faithfully and so well. She passed away at the last quietly and painlessly, and entered into the eternal house.

Her funeral took place in our Church at Nappanee on the 15th of February, conducted by the Rev. C. H. Murray, and attended by a great number of sympathizing friends. Her remains were taken to Williamsburgh, Wayne county, for interment.

May He who hath promised to wipe away all tears from all faces be the strong stay and consolation of our sorrowing brother, and lead him gently all his days until his great change shall also come.

MRS. CORA E. FORKNER.

Cora E. Bell, wife of the Rev. A. L. Forkner, was the only daughter of Dr. J. G. and Emily Bell. She was born in Greenville, Indiana county, Pennsylvania, February 16, 1864, and died at Huntertown, Allen county, Indiana, March 3, 1890, at the age of 26 years and 17 days.

Sister Forkner was left an orphan when she was one year old by the death of her father. Soon thereafter her widowed mother removed to Indianapolis to live with a brother, and there our sister was brought up. Her school days were passed in that city. She was an excellent student, and became a fine musician. At the age of seventeen she removed with her mother to Anderson, and engaged for three years and a half in teaching the schools in Richland township, in which she was very successful. The Trustee of the township claimed that she was the best teacher he had. During this time she met our brother, and their acquaintance ripened into love. They were married May 6, 1885.

This happy union was blessed with two little daughters and an infant son, orphaned at four days of age, and never to know his mother's tender care.

Our sister was converted when she was fifteen, and became a member of our Church. She went cheerfully with our brother into the work of the ministry, and bore all its toils and anxieties heroically. The words of praise from her husband show her to have been a helpmeet, indeed; never hurried, never discomposed, always doing the right thing at the right time, and ever endearing herself to the hearts of their parishioners. She was never heard to complain. She was full of patience and meekness, and her words were full of comfort and cheer. Whatever her hands found to do, she did faithfully and well.

She was sick a few days only, and was conscious until the last. When it became manifest that the time of her departure was near at hand, on the night before her death she talked, sung and prayed in the presence of many friends. She exhorted all to be faithful a little longer, and told her little daughter to be good and the angels would come for her as they had now come for mamma. She said she had had doubts during her life-time as to her being wholly the Lord's, but now she no longer doubted; she had looked upon death as a thing to be most dreaded, but she found it now to be most blessed, the way was so bright. After many exhortations she joined in singing a stanza of

"O for a thousand tongues to sing,"

and with rapture repeated the chorus,

"Blessed be His name."

In this triumphant frame she laid aside the earthly and put on the heavenly.

Her body was taken to the Anderson Circuit, to the home of Brother Forkner, where the funeral services were conducted by the Rev. B. A. Kemp, assisted by the Revs. S. L. Johnson and F. Lacey. She was buried in the beautiful cemetery at Anderson.

God be gracious to our brother, bereaved under such sad circumstances, and give him strength for his double burden of responsibility, and sustain him until he shall be reunited with her who was thus early crowned.

MRS. L. W. MONSON.

Louisa, daughter of Rev. Thomas Baker, late of Pittsburg Conference, and Roanna Baker, was born at Houlttown, Marion county, West Virginia, April 11, 1831. and died the wife of Rev. L. W. Monson, at Wabash, Ind., March 8, 1890, near the close of her fifty-ninth year. Our sister had the advantage of birth and training in a Methodist preacher's home. She early became a member of the church, but was converted at a meeting held in a large barn, near Fortville, Ind. The meeting was conducted by the Rev Eli Rammel and her now bereaved husband, the Rev. L. W. Monson.

Sister Monson's youth, passed in a Methodist preacher's home, fitted her to become an itinerant's wife, which she did by marrying the Rev. L W. Monson, at Fortville, Ind., October 6, 1857. Very few, if any, were better prepared to understand the genius or to enter enthusiastically into the Methodist economy. In the following appointments she helped make her busy husband's itinerant life successful:

From time of marriage until the Conference session of 1861 they served the Goshen District. In 1861 they were sent to Wabash Station, during which time the present church, though afterward greatly altered and improved. was begun; 1862–67, Peru District; 1866–70, Ft. Wayne District; 1870–74, the Warsaw District; 1874–77, the LaGro Circuit; 1877–80, Roann Circuit. Since 1870, with but short intermission, our sister's home has been in Wabash, and for the last ten years her husband's labors have been in connection with Wabash County Auxiliary of the American Bible Society and in serving as supply at different places. About Wabash, and throughout this thickly settled Methodist section of our Conference none were more highly or universally esteemed than Sister Monson and her greatly revered husband.

Four children were born of this union, one daughter and three sons, one son alone surviving her. She leaves also two step-daughters, one step-son, together with an aged mother.

Sister Monson's religious experience was of a clear, trustful, faithful kind. Her chief desire was to do the work of her Master. On account of the deafness of her husband, her sphere of Christian activity was narrowed from the more responsible work of active itineracy, yet she was not only patient, but cheerfully happy.

Brother and Sister Monson accepted the situation and entered earnestly into the local church work, and the whole community had occasion to rejoice in the providence of God that threw into their midst two such Christian characters as bulwarks of our blessed Christianity. We can but suggest the breadth of her Christian labors. She was the first President of Wabash Auxiliary of the W. F. M. S., a position she held many years, and to her zeal it owes much to the position it occupies as the banner auxiliary of the North Indiana Conference. She presided at the first crusade meeting in her city, and led the women in that noble march of song and prayer against the Saracens of the saloon. She afterwards became the first President of the local W. C. T. U. For twenty years Sister Monson taught the ladies' Bible-class in the Sunday-school, and a correct Bible knowledge and great fidelity characterized her work.

A friend of every effort to soothe sorrow and care among the unfortunate, she entered heartily into an effort to organize an "Orphans' Home," and was the first President of its Board of Managers, and remained active in its interests to the time of her death. She was active in all church work, as far as her strength would allow, and was a prayer-meeting, class-meeting, and everyday Christian. With tenderest care she waited on all the wants of her aged mother and deaf husband, who relied very much upon the help and counsel of his wife. And in his latest effort to benefit his ministerial brethren, the preparation of "The Manual of the North Indiana Conference," he was greatly assisted by her in gathering facts, arranging material and reading proof. The day before her death the last proof was read, and on the following day this faithful helper and companion fell asleep in Jesus. Thank God, these faithful workers were enabled to complete this little book, so valuable to all Methodists of the North Indiana Conference territory. Thus we come to the close of a beautiful and useful Christian life. After an attack of la grippe came a relapse, and because her lungs were especially weak, hemorrhages; and on the morning of the 8th of March our sister bade us an unexpected adieu. When the messenger of death came to her room she said to her sister, "I am going; pray for me;" and being assured they were praying, then clamly, as if addressing the sister and the messenger, also, she said, "I am ready," and stepping into the chariot she went home to God. Her funeral services were conducted at Wabash, Ind., March 10th, by Revs. C. E. Bacon and W. J Vigus. She believed all things work together for good to those who love God, and in her Bible, which was marked with the text and date of sermons she had heard, in the leaf, where she marked the text of a sermon preached by her pastor, March 3, '89, was found a beautiful poem, "God Knoweth Best," which seems her parting testimony and counsel to us.

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Alberston, C. C.	1865
Albertson, E. F.	1855
Albright, P. J.	1844
Alleman, J. B.	1839
Baker, E. M.	1828
Barns, H. N.	1806
Beatty, J. S.	1858
Beechgood, C. H.	1858
Beeks, L. A.	1853
Belt, J. D.	1846
Bills, J. O.	1856
Boston, W. S.	1850
Bowen, J. W.	1854
Bowers, G. W.	1811
Brown, W. W.	1859
Cain, J. S.	1854
Cain, J. W.	1854
Carpenter, G. M.	1852
Carns, J. B.	1844
Church, C. W.	1851
Church, E. P.	1824
Cissel, C. C.	1860
Cone, A.	——
Cooper, M. C.	1862
Croan, J. D.	1855
Currie, A. H.	1836
Davis, Eli	1851
Davis, H. A.	1856
Disbro, C. E.	1839
Dorwin, J. C.	1862
Elkin, T. J.	1839
Frech, T. F.	1860
Fettro, J. T.	1849
Ford, J. H.	1842
Fry, A. B.	1861
Forkner, A. L.	1855
Gahring, J. A. R.	1861
Glor, G. A.	1858
Green, G. W.	1861
Greenman, A.	1826
Greenman, A. W.	1854
Gruber, A. C.	1846
Gillam, N.	1814
Guild, D. H.	1860
Guild, T. M.	1854
Harlan M. A.	1851
Harrison, J.	1807
Harvey, C.	1841
Herrick H. N.	1846
Hill, G. H.	1840
Holdstock, E.	1817
Hollopeter, B. S.	1859
Howard, G. S. V.	1850
Jackson, J. H.	1850
Johnson, S. L.	1858
Johnston, J.	1821
Johnson, T. S.	1833
Keller, J. E.	1861
Kemp, B. A.	1841
Kistler, A. H.	1849
Klingel, H. C.	1849
Krider, L. M.	1856
Lacey, F. M.	1853
Lacey, H. J.	1825
Lamport, A. L.	1853
Lamport, A. W.	1847
Lamport, H. M.	1849
Lash, Wm.	1834
Lewellen, J. A.	1848
Lewellen, J. W.	1845
Lewis, J. M.	1860
Lowry, J. W.	1825
Lynch, C. W.	1834
Maffit, John	——
Mahin, M.	1824
Marble, M. S.	1854
McCarty, W. E.	1838
McCoy, J. I.	1849
McCarter, A. G.	1827
McCurdy, J. N.	——
McCarty, J. S.	1830
McElwee, S. J.	1845
McMahon, J. H.	1828
Medsker, J. C.	——

NAME.	BORN.
Mendenhall, M. H.	1836
Mellinger, S. J.	1846
Metts, M. S.	1835
Merica, C. O.	1864
Miller, S. C.	1830
Miller, J. W.	1832
Monson, L. W.	1815
Mott, M H.	1838
Naftzger, L. J.	1857
Neal, E E.	——
Nelson, W. M.	1856
Oborn, J. W.	1867
Osborn, E. W.	1854
Parfitt, Wm.	1850
Preston, E. S.	——
Peddycord, N. T.	1836
Pittinger, A A.	1851
Phillips, N. H.	1829
Pierce, W. H.	1843
Peck, W.	1827
Paschall, J. W.	1838
Parr, W. D.	1854
Preston, A. S.	1859
Randolph, W. B.	1858
Roberts, L.	1811
Robinson, F. A.	1842
Reed, R. S.	1847
Reeves L.	1848
Rhoades, J F.	1844
Rush, J. M.	1851
Rogers, A. S.	1849
Ross, S. A.	1866
Ruley, J. A.	1853
Sarah, A. E.	1859
Simpson, F. T.	1836
Spain, Fremont.	1856
Slack, J. H.	1850
Smith B.	1819
Stright. D. F.	1811
Sevits, L. A.	1866
Sells, T.	1832
Singer, I. W.	1851
Spellman. R. D.	1813
Shackelford, N. D.	1826
Smith, H. C.	1850
Stone, F. M.	1857
Swadner, M.	1852
Teague, M. A.	1834
Terflinger J. V.	——
Tobey, R.	1830
Thomas J.	1851
Ulmer, G. C.	1855
Vigus, W. J.	1835
Van Slyke, W. M.	1848
White, J. C.	1821
Wayman, M.	1813
Wilson, Wm.	——
Woolpert, H.	1825
Wilkinson, C. H.	1838
Wooten, A S.	1849
Walts, J. K.	1846
Woolpert, D. C.	1850
Wones, W. R.	1849
Wade. C. U.	1849
Williams, D V.	1861
Waltz, W. J.	1863

LIST OF LOCAL PREACHERS.

In the column for official relation, E. denotes Elder; D. Deacon; L. Licentiate

Fort Wayne District.

NAME.	OFF. REL.	POSTOFFICE.
Archbold, J. T.	L.	Decatur.
Barton, Nathaniel	L.	Fort Wayne.
Beatty, William	E.	Zanesville.
Burwell, N	D.	Bluffton,
Carrington, E. C.	L.	Harlan.
Foughty, J. W.	D.	Ossian.
Gilbert, J. V.	L.	Fort Wayne.
Hollopeter, A.	E.	Leo.
Holm, D. D	L.	Huntington
James, William J.	D.	Harlan.
Kerwood, A. J.	E.	Bluffton.
Leeks, G W.	L.	Ft. Wayne.
Mann, Harlow	E.	Decatur.
Markley, Daniel	E.	Fort Wayne.
Meese, W. L	D.	Auburn.
Miller, S. D.	E.	Fort Wayne.
Myers W J.	E.	Decatur.
Parent, Hiram	L.	New Haven.
Sawyer, James	L.	Fort Wayne.
Seamen, J. W.	D.	Fort Wayne.
Slade, J. H.	E.	Angola.
Smith, S. D.	L.	Poneto.
Sowle, J.	L.	Ossian.
Spain, F.	E.	Roanoke.
Stemen, C. B.	E.	Fort Wayne.
Watterson, S. K.	L.	Heller's Cor's.
Weeks, G. W.	L.	Ft. Wayne.

Goshen District.

Baker, Nathan	E.	Alvarado.
Boydston, B. S.	E.	Clunette.
Bryson, G. W.	L.	Elkhart.
Butler, W. O.	E.	Waterloo.
Buoy, W. H.	L.	Wolcottville.
Baer, S. W.	E.	Wakarusa.
Cutter, J. A.	L.	Albion.
Freese, George	L.	Nappanee.
Fried, F. G.	L.	Corunna.
Hartsock, G. D.	D.	Kendallville.
Howenstine, F.	E.	Goshen.
Hubbard, R. S.	E.	LaGrange.
Hewitt, C. H.	L.	Goshen.
Kellogg, A.	D.	Mishawaka.
Keys, W. H.	L.	Onfa.
Knepper, A. V.	E.	Hamilton.
Leonard, Z. B.	L.	Elkhart.

NAME.	OFF. REL.	POSTOFFICE.
McCarty, W. A.	D.	Brimfield.
Middleton, J. W.	L.	Elkhart.
Miller, Joseph	L.	Hudson.
Nickerson, H. L.	E.	Wolf Lake.
Norton, A	L.	Orland.
Parrett, A. J.	D.	Butler.
Weaver, Alvin	L.	Avilla.
Webber, S. G.	L.	Elkhart.
Wagoner, J H.	L.	Hamilton.
Wilcox, C. B	L.	Kendallville.

Kokomo District.

Boyden, W. W.	E.	Elwood.
Barrow, Samuel	D.	Kempton
Bonse, Adam	L.	Goldsmith.
Barnhart, J. H.	L.	Oakford.
Cobb Abram	L.	Sheridan.
Cottingham, H. A.	D.	Noblesville.
Case, A. H	L.	Tipton.
Duckwall, Daniel	L.	Bunker Hill.
Dollins, J. W.	L.	Windfall.
Dodds, John F.	D.	Logansport.
Gregg, E. L.	L.	Peru.
Gillam, L. W.	L.	Forest.
Hill, Henry	E.	Xenia.
Hill, William	E.	Logansport.
Hoon, A E.	L.	Kokomo.
Huffman, Wm. L.	E.	Peru.
Hessong, P. K	D.	Zionsville.
Hiatt, Charles	L.	Westfield.
Hartley, M T.	L.	South Wabash
Hutchens, E. A.	L.	Noblesville.
Knote, John A.	L.	Jerome.
Kessler, Homer	L.	Logansport.
Lesenbee, J.	D.	Sweetser.
Loving, D. L.	E.	Santa Fe.
Moore, Wm. T.	L.	Hortonville.
Moore, Sylvanus	L.	Hortonville.
Mathews, J. A.	L.	Noblesville,
Monson, I. N.	L.	Walton.
Neal, Jabez	E.	Noblesville.
Nolan, J. L.	E.	Middle Fork.
Nelson, A. S.	L.	Noblesville.
Parr, J. N.	D.	Jollietville.
Prather, Wm. F.	E.	Sharpsville.
Phillips, M. G.	L.	Boxley.
Perry James M.	L.	Ambrose.

NAME.	OFF.	REL.	POSTOFFICE.
Rickett, Thomas	D		Sweetser.
Reyburn, H	D		Kokomo.
Stone, J. H	L		Greentown.
Smith, T. M	D		Sheridan.
Smith, W. T	L		Logansport.
Sandifer, O. H	L		Miami.
Shepherd, J. R	L		Noblesville.
Veach, George M.	E		Amboy.
Wilcock, R. L	E		Kokomo.
Willson, Thomas	L		Zionsville.
Willson, S. F	L		Kokomo.
Wright J. E	L		Russiaville.
Wolf, Daniel	L		Forest.
Wells, David	L		Carmel.

Muncie District.

Armitage, M. S	L		Pennville
Barrett, J. Z	L		Summitville.
Bryant, Wm	L		Muncie.
Burnett, S	L		Anderson.
Carr, J. W	L		Muncie.
Collins, G. H	L		Fortville.
Daugherty, J	L		Red Key.
Everitt, J	L		Millgrove.
French, T. N	L		Alexandria.
Faulkner, G H	L		Red Key.
Faucett, R	D		McCordsville.
Funk, G. F	L		Linwood.
Gaskins, S	L		McCordsville.
Garretson, O. C	L		N. Cumberl'd.
Gibson R	L		Macedonia.
Hammer, A	L		Farmland.
Hawkins, W	L		Summitville.
Heath, J. W	L		Muncie.
Holston, J. A	L		Linwood.
Hubert, J	E		Jonesboro.
Jenkins, J. W	L		Florida.
Lacey, H	L		Blountsville.
Line, B. A	D		Alexandria.
Lindsey, R. B	D		Blountsville.
Mallory, C. H	D		Noblesville.
Mallory, C. F	L		Noblesville.
Marsh, H. C	L		Muncie.
McKinley, J	E		New Corner.
Moorman, J. A	E		Farmland.
Painter, J. A	L		Summitville.
Pittenger, J. A	D		Desoto.
Pittenger, E. F	L		Desoto.
Roberts, T. H	E		Red Key.
Richards, J	D		Muncie.
Ross, W. W	D		Muucie.
Ross, J	L		Selma.
Satterfield, T	L		Desoto.
Saunders, J	L		Anderson.
Shinn, B. G	D		Hartford City.
Sholz, C. A	D		Farmland.
Sparr, J	E		Muncie.
Spencer, C. O	L		Shideler
Stahl, Wm. M	L		Hartford City.
Stevens, P. F	E		Fishersburg.
Sutton, D B	E		Red Key.
Todd, M	D		Pendleton.
Turner, W. D	E		Muncie.
Walker, M	L		Fortville.
West, J. R	E		Royerton.
Welling, H	L		Cumberland.
Wright, T	L		Pennville.
Wright, E	L		Pennville.

Richmond District.

Armstrong, M. P	E		New Castle.
Bowen, W. C	E		New Castle.
Barton, W. E	E		Cox Mills.
Brumfield, E	L		Cadis.
Butts, N. T	D		Winchester.
Bunyan, L. H	D		Richmond.
Bunch, P. G	L		Spartansburg.
Beach E. E	L		New Castle.
Cowgill, G. J	E		Richmond.
Cissel, B. G	E		Cadis.
Cook, A	D		Cox Mills.
Dingle, W	L		New Castle.
Dobbs, A. S., D. D	L		New Castle.
Dimond, R	D		New Castle.
Earls, E	D		Charlottesv'le.
Elliott E. O	L		Greenfield.
Growendyke, Dr. O.	L		Greensboro.
Hatfield, J. T	L		Charlottesv'le.
Hayward, I. M	L		Ridgeville.
Harter, S. F	L		Bartonia.
Horniday, W. A	L		Whitewater.
Hunt, J. A	L		Farmland.
Huston, A. S	D		Mechanicsb'g.
Hollowell, E	D		Dunreith.
Hunt, John	L		Spartansburg.
Hunt, Frank	L		Modoc.
Iliff, G. W	E		Richmond.
Jackson, A	E		Whitewater.
Jackson, J. I	L		Lynn.
Jones, S. H	L		Richmond.
Kiger, A. J	L		Muncie.
Kissel, A	L		Salamonia.
Lowell, L	L		Losantville.
Laufman, R. D	D		Richmond.
Linsey, M. E	E		Neff.
Martin B. L	E		Chester.
Moore, C. M	L		New Castle.
Parker, J	L		Nettle Creek.

NAME.	OFF.	REL.	POSTOFFICE.
Postal, I.	L.		Muncie.
Powell, P. E.	L.		New Castle.
Powell, Ed.	L.		Portland.
Piper, W.	L.		New Castle.
Paxon, O. P.	L.		Lynn.
Regar, L. D.	D.		Marklesville.
Rogers, T.	E.		New Castle.
Roberts, D.	L.		Maxwell.
Renyolds, E. B.	L.		Hagerstown.
Reitenhower, A. H.	L.		Union City.
Shute, R. C.	E.		Richmond.
Souders, D. W.	E.		Knightstown.
Teague, G.	D.		Greenfield.
Tuttle, T. W.	D.		Muncie.

Warsaw District.

Anderson, I. J.	L.		Warren.
Beck, Wm.	L.		Silver Lake.
Boyd, J. M.	L.		River.
Califf, G M.	D.		Green Oak.
Campbell, M. L.	E.		Bourbon.
Cook, N. P.	L.		Warsaw.
Corey, J. D.	L.		Van Buren.
Cruzan, B. C.	D.		Inwood.
DeArmond, J C. F.	D.		Roann.
Dunnick, John.	D.		Warsaw.
Easters, J. W.	L.		Larwell.
Fites, John.	L.		Deedsville
Ferris, F. R.	D.		N. Manchester
Fribley, C.	D.		Etna Green.
Graham, W. B.	E.		Inwood.
Graham, T. A.	L.		Inwood
Hacker, T. F.	D.		Majenica.
Hetfield, J. S.	E.		Warsaw.
Harrison, F. R.	L.		Andrews.
Hover, W. A.	L.		Wabash.
Irwin, R. L.	L.		Buckeye.
Jordan, W. S.	D.		N. Manchester
Love, D	L.		Macy.
Longbrake, H.	E.		Inwood.
McCarter A. E.	L.		Warsaw.
Morrow, Joseph.	D.		Marion.
Miller, Jacob.	E.		Green Oak.
McKee, H H.	L.		Pine.
Norris, A L.	L.		Macy.
O'Brien, Wm.	D.		Piercton.
Parret, A. D.	D.		South Whitley
Parks, J F.	L.		Bourbon.
Randolph, R.	D.		Andrews.
Robins, E. V.	D.		Denver.
Rose, Paul.	L.		Wabash.
Rupley, E.	L.		La Gro.
Smith, Jacob.	L.		Bracken.
Smith, Joel.	D.		Atwood.
Smith, R. J.	E.		Chili.
Stevenson, F. G.	L.		Gilead.
Swaim, S. H	E.		Warren.
Sholtz, G.	L.		Wabash.
Steward, J. M.	L.		Wabash.
Thompson, W. D.	E.		Wabash.
Tillman, W. J.	L.		N. Manchester
Whittenberger, J.	D.		Akron.
Wilkinson, Geo.	L.		Macy.
Wiley Thos.	D.		Mentone.
Wilkie, W. H.	E.		Marion.
Wyant, D. L.	E.		Warsaw.

GENERAL CONFERENCE DELEGATES.

1848. Richard Hargrave, Samuel C. Cooper, William H. Goode, Samuel Brenton, John C. Smith.

Reserves—George. M. Beswick, Thos. J. Brown.

1852. George M. Beswick, William H. Goode, John L. Smith, Samuel T. Gillett, Joseph Marsee, John Daniel.

Reserves—Jacob M. Stallard, Samuel C. Cooper.

1856. Samuel C. Cooper, Orange V. Lemon, George W. Bowers, H. N. Barnes.

Reserves—John H. Hull, Jacob Colclazer.

1860. Cyrus Nutt, John B. Birt, Jacob Colclazer, Lawson W. Monson.

Reserves—Augustus Eddy, John W. Bradshaw.

1864. Reuben D. Robinson, William H. Goode, Orange V. Lemon, John V. R. Miller.

Reserves—Milton Mahin, Samuel N. Campbell.

1868. Thomas Bowman, Milton Mahin, William H. Goode, Jehu C. Medsker.

Reserves—Lawson W. Monson, Orange V. Lemon.

1872. William H. Goode, Thomas Bowman, William S. Birch, Ner H. Phillips, Orange V. Lemon.

Reserves—Marmaduke H. Mendenhall, Lawson W. Monson.

Lay Delegates—Joseph A. Funk, Warsaw; William R. West, Anderson.

Reserves—George W. Milburn, Mishawaka; Aaron C. Swayzee, Marion.

1876. William S. Birch, Samuel N. Campbell, Ner H. Phillips, Abijah Marine.

Reserves—Marmaduke H. Mendenhall, Enoch Holdstock.

Lay Delegates—Aaron C. Swayzee, Marion; Josiah H. Defrees, Goshen.

Reserves—Charles C. Binkley, Richmond; George W. Brackenridge, Fort Wayne.

1880. Abijah Marine, Marmaduke H. Mendenhall, Ezra F. Hasty, Almon Greenman.

Reserves—Thomas Stabler, John W. Welch.

Lay Delegates—John Arnold, South Whitley; Charles C. Binkley, Richmond.

Reserves—D. B. Crawford, Richmond; Thomas B. Redding, New Castle.

1884. Thomas Stabler, Charles E. Disbro, Clark Skinner, John W. Welch.

Reserves—Yancy B. Meredith, Humphrey J. Meek.

Lay Delegates—Jacob J. Todd, Bluffton; John H. Baker, Goshen.

Reserves—Charles L. Henry, Anderson; Daniel L. Overholser, Logansport.

1888. Charles G. Hudson, Franklin T. Simpson, Cyrus W. Lynch, Enoch Holdstock.

Reserves—Joshua E. Ervin, James Greer.

Lay Delegates—Joseph S. Baker, Warsaw; Charles L. Henry, Anderson.

Reserves—Daniel L. Overholser, Logansport; Robert W. McBride, Waterloo.

BISHOPS OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Born.	Names.	Entered Ministry.		Ordained Bish.	Remarks.
		Conference.	Year.		
Sept. 9, 1747	Thomas Coke	British Wes	1778	1784	Died at Sea, May 3, 1814, aged 67.
Aug. 20, 1745	Francis Asbury	British Wes	1766	1784	Died in Virginia, March 31, 1816, aged 71.
Feb. 23, 1736	Richard Whatcoat	British Wes	1769	1800	Died in Delaware, June 5, 1806, aged 71.
July 6, 1757	William McKendree	Meth. E. Church	1788	1808	Died in Tennessee, March 5, 1835, aged 78.
.....1768	Enoch George	Meth. E. Church	1790	1816	Died in Virginia, August 23, 1828, aged 60.
Aug. 2, 1778	Robert R. Roberts	Baltimore	1802	1816	Died in Indiana, March 26, 1843, aged 65.
Aug. 1, 1781	Joshua Soule	New York	1799	1824	Entered M. E. Church South, 1846, died March 6, 1867, aged, 86.
June 7, 1780	Elijah Hedding	New York	1801	1824	Died in Poughkeepsie, April 9, 1852, aged 72.
May 3, 1794	James Osgood Andrew	South Carolina	1813	1832	Bishop M. E. Church South, 1846, died March 1, 1871, aged 77.
April 11, 1789	John Emory	Philadelphia	1810	1832	Died in Maryland, December 16, 1835, aged 47.
Oct 25, 1789	Beverley Waugh	Baltimore	1809	1836	Died in Maryland, February 9, 1858, aged 69.
April 28, 1794	Thomas A. Morris	Ohio	1816	1836	Died in Springfield, Ohio, September 2, 1874, aged 80.
May 10, 1797	Leonidas A. Hamline	Ohio	1833	1844	Resigned, 1852; died in Iowa, March 22, 1865, aged 68.
April 27, 1807	Edmund Storer Janes	Philadelphia	1830	1844	Died in New York City, September 18, 1876, aged 69.
Oct. 11, 1802	Levi Scott	Philadelphia	1826	1852	Died in Odessa, Delaware, July 13, 1882, aged 80.
June 20, 1811	Matthew Simpson	Pittsburg	1833	1852	Died in Philadelphia, June 18, 1884, aged 73.
July 30, 1813	Osmon C. Baker	New Hampshire	1839	1852	Died in Concord, New Hampshire, December 20, 1871, aged 59.
Mar. 20, 1806	Edward R. Ames	Illinois	1830	1852	Died in Baltimore, April 25, 1879, aged 73.
Dec. 5, 1809	Francis Burns*	Liberia	1838	1858	Died in Baltimore, April 18, 1863, aged 53.
Feb. 25, 1812	Davis Wasgatt Clark	New York	1843	1864	Died in Cincinnati, May 23, 1871, aged 59.
Oct. 12, 1810	Edward Thomson	Ohio	1833	1864	Died in Wheeling, West Virginia, March 22, 1870, aged 59.
Sept. 8, 1812	Calvin Kingsley	Erie	1841	1864	Died in Beyroot, Syria, April 6, 1870, aged 57.
.....1809	John W. Roberts*	Liberia	1838	1866	Died in Africa, January 30, 1875, aged 66.
July 15, 1817	Thomas Bowman	Baltimore	1839	1872	Residence, St. Louis, Missouri.
Nov. 4, 1817	William L. Harris	Michigan	1837	1872	Died in New York, September 2, 1887, aged 70.
Feb. 22, 1820	Randolph S. Foster	Ohio	1837	1872	Residence, Boston, Massachusetts.
Mar. 29, 1825	Isaac W. Wiley	East Genesee	1850	1872	Died in Foochow, China, November 22, 1884, aged 59.
Sept. 16, 1825	Stephen M. Merrill	Ohio	1846	1872	Residence, Chicago, Illinois.
Aug. 7, 1825	Edward G. Andrews	Oneida	1848	1872	Residence, New York.
Sept. 10, 1821	Gilbert Haven	New England	1851	1872	Died in Malden, Mass., January 3, 1880, aged 58.
April 4, 1811	Jesse T. Peck	Oneida	1832	1872	Died in Syracuse, N. Y., May 17, 1883, aged 72.
Jan. 4, 1831	Henry W. Warren	New England	1855	1880	Residence, Denver, Colorado.
Jan. 17, 1834	Cyrus D. Foss	New York	1857	1880	Residence, Philadelphia, Pa.
Aug. 17, 1834	John F. Hurst	Newark	1858	1880	Residence, Washington, D. C
Nov. 1, 1820	Erastus O. Haven	New York	1848	1880	Died in Salem, Oregon, August 2, 1881, aged 62.
June 21, 1832	William X. Ninde	Black River	1856	1884	Residence, Topeka, Kansas.
Feb. 11, 1831	John M. Walden	Cincinnati	1858	1884	Residence, Cincinnati, O.
Dec. 11, 1828	Willard F. Mallalieu	New England	1858	1884	Residence, New Orleans, La.
Aug. 11, 1837	Charles H. Fowler	Rock River	1861	1884	Residence, San Francisco, Cal.
May 2, 1821	William Taylor†	Baltimore	1843	1884	Address, 805, Broadway, New York City.
Feb. 23, 1832	John H. Vincent	New Jersey	1853	1888	Residence, Buffalo, N. Y.
July 27, 1837	James N. Fitzgerald	Newark	1862	1888	Residence, Minneapolis, Minn.
Oct. 11, 1836	Isaac W. Joyce	Northwest Indiana	1859	1888	Residence, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Sept. 1, 1826	John P. Newman	Oneida	1848	1888	Residence, Omaha, Neb.
Nov. 5, [1840	Daniel A. Goodsell	New York East	1859	1888	Residence, in Texas.
Mar. 7, 1836	James M. Thoburn‡	Pittsburg	1858	1888	Residence, Calcutta, India.

*Missionary Bishops, their episcopal jurisdiction being restricted to the Liberia Conference. †Missionary Bishop, with episcopal jurisdiction in Africa. ‡Missionary Bishop, with episcopal jurisdiction in India.

SESSIONS OF THE NORTH INDIANA CONFERENCE.

No.	Date of Session.	Place.	Bishops.	Secretaries.
1	Oct. 16-21.....1844	Ft. Wayne.....	Waugh...	M. Simpson, Secretary ; John Daniel, Assistant.
2	Sep. 24-29.....1845	Lafayette.....	Hamline	S. T. Gillett, Secretary; John C. Smith, Assistant.
3	Sep. 16-22.....1846	Laporte.....	Morris ...	S. T. Gillett, Secretary; H. B. Beers, Assistant.
4	Sep. 15-22.....1847	Indianapolis.....	Janes.....	S. T. Gillett, Secretary; H. B. Beers, Assistant.
5	Sep. 6-11.....1848	Greencastle.....	Hamline	S. T. Gillett, Secretary; H. B. Beers, Assistant.
6	Aug. 29-Sep. 4, 1849	Logansport.....	Waugh ..	J. C. Smith, Secretary; H. C. Benson, Assistant.
7	Aug. 21-26.....1850	Cambridge City.....	Janes.....	J. C. Smith, Secretary; H. C. Benson, Assistant.
8	Aug. 20-27.....1851	South Bend.....	Morris ...	S. T. Gillett, Secretary; Wm. G. Stonex, Luther Taylor, Assistants.
9	Sep. 22-28.....1852	Berry St., Ft. Wayne...	Baker.....	S. T. Gillett, Secretary; J. G. B. Pettijohn, Assistant; C. W. Miller, Enrolling.
10	Sep. 21-24.....1853	Richmond.....	Ames.....	C. Nutt, Secretary; J. G. B. Pettijohn, R. D. Robinson, Assistants.
11	Sep. 20-23.....1854	Peru.....	Simpson	C. Nutt, Secretary.
12	Sep. 14-19.....1855	Goshen.....	Scott.....	C. Nutt, Secretary; H. B. Beers, J. C. Medsker, Assistants.
13	Sep. 24-29.....1856	Muncie.....	Baker.....	H. N. Barnes, Secretary; M. Mahin, J. C. Medsker, Assistants.
14	Apr. 8-11.....1857	Marion.....	Simpson	H. N. Barnes, Secretary; M. Mahin, Assistant; J. C. Medsker, Enrolling.
15	Apr. 7-14.....1858	Winchester.....	Ames.....	J. C. Medsker, Secretary; H. N. Barnes, Assistant; D. P. Hartman, Enrolling.
16	Apr. 7-11.....1859	Logansport.....	Morris ...	H. N. Barnes, Secretary; A. Greenman, Assistant; J. C. Medsker, Enrolling.
17	Apr. 5- 9 1860	Mishawaka.....	Ames.....	A. Greenman, Secretary; M. H. Mendenhall, Assistant; J. C. Medsker, Enrolling; D. P Hartman, Statistician.
18	Apr. 3- 8.....1861	New Castle.....	Janes.....	H. N. Barnes, Secretary; A. Greenman, M. H. Mendenhall, Assistants; D. P. Hartman Statistician.
19	Apr. 10-15.....1862	Berry St., Ft. Wayne...	Simpson	M. Mahin, Secretary; R. D. Spellman, Assistant; D. P. Hartman, Enrolling.
20	Apr. 9-13.....1863	Wabash.....	Morris ...	M. Mahin, Secretary; M. H. Mendenhall, Assistant; D. P. Hartman, Statistician.
21	Apr. 6-11.....1864	Knightstown.....	Morris ...	M. Mahin, Secretary; M. H. Mendenhall, Assistant; J. C. Medsker, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, Statistician.
22	Apr. 12-17.....1865	Kendallville.....	Scott.....	M. Mahin, Secretary; M. H. Mendenhall, Assistant; J. C. Medsker, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, Statistician.
23	Apr. 5- 9.....1866	Peru.....	Clark.....	M. Mahin, Secretary; M. H. Mendenhall, Assistant; J. C. Medsker, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, Statistician.
24	Apr. 10-15.....1867	Anderson.....	Ames.....	M. Mahin, Secretary; M. H. Mendenhall, Assistant; J. C. Medsker, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, Statistician; W. J. Vigus, Ad. Assistant.
25	Apr. 15-20.....1868	Warsaw.....	Thomson	M. Mahin, Secretary; M. H. Mendenhall, Assistant: J. C. Medsker, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, Statistician; W. J. Vigus, Ad. Assistant.
26	Apr. 15-19.....1869	Pearl St., Richmond...	Simpson	M. Mahin, Secretary; W. J. Vigus, Assistant; D. P. Hartman, Statistician; R. D. Spellman, Recording.
27	Apr. 13-18.....1870	Kokomo.....	Clark.....	M. H. Mendenhall, Secretary; E. F. Hasty, Assistant; D. P. Hartman, Statistician; M. A. Teague, Enrolling; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
28	Apr. 12-17.....1871	Huntington.....	Ames.....	M. H. Mendenhall, Secretary; E. F. Hasty, Assistant; R. Tobey, Enrolling; W. J. Vigus, Statistician; H. N. Herrick, R. R. Secretary.

No	Date of Session.	Place.	Bishops.	Secretaries.
29	Mar. 27-Apr. 1..1872	Muncie	Scott	M. H. Mendenhall, Secretary; E. F. Hasty, W. J. Vigus, Assistants; J. Morrow, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, H. N. Herrick, Statisticians.
30	Apr. 16-22.....1873	Logansport	Merrill	M. H. Mendenhall, Secretary; E. F. Hasty, Assistant; W. J. Vigus, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, A. Greenman, J. Morrow, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
31	Apr. 1- 6.....1874	Wayne St., Ft. Wayne	Foster	M. H. Mendenhall, Secretary; E. F. Hasty, Assistant; W. J. Vigus, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, Statistician; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
32	Apr. 14-20.....1875	Elkhart	Bowman	M. H. Mendenhall, Secretary; E. F. Hasty, Assistant; W. J. Vigus, Enrolling; D. P. Hartman, C. E. Disbro, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
33	Mar. 22-27.....1876	Grace Ch., Richmond	Harris	M. H. Mendenhall, Secretary; E. F. Hasty, W. J. Vigus, A. Greenman, Assistants; D. P. Hartman, C. E. Disbro, Y. B. Meredith, F. A. Robinson, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
34	Apr. 4- 9..... 1877	Bluffton	Wiley	E. F. Hasty, Secretary; John E. Earp, Assistant; C. E. Disbro, C. G. Hudson, I. J. Smith, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
35	Apr. 3- 8.....1878	Anderson	Peck	E. F. Hasty, Secretary; J. E. Earp, Assistant; C. E. Disbro, G. B. Work, I. J. Smith, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
36	Apr. 9-14.....1879	Goshen	Scott	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; M. Mahin, Assistant; G. B. Work, I. J. Smith, H. N. Herrick, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
37	Apr. 7-12.....1880	Union City	Foster	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; M. Mahin, H. A. Buchtel, Assistants; G. B. Work, W. M. Van Slyke, J. A. Lewellen, J. H. Jackson, C. H. Brown, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
38	Apr. 7-11.....1881	Wabash	Simpson	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; M. Mahin, Assistant; G. B. Work, H. N. Herrick, J. W. Lewellen, J. T. Blakemore, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
39	Apr. 5-11.....1882	Muncie	Wiley	C. G. Hudson; Secretary; M. Mahin, C. W. Church, Assistants; G. B. Work, H. N. Herrick, J. W. Lewellen, L. J. Naftzger, W. S. Boston, H. B. Hunt, I. N. Rhoades, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
40	Apr. 12-17.....1883	Noblesville	Bowman	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; M. Mahin, H. N. Herrick, Assistants; G. B. Work, M. A. Teague, J. K. Walts, C. U. Wade, L. J. Naftzger, H. C. Smith, W. S. Boston, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
41	Apr. 2- 7.....1884	Peru	Foss	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; M Mahin, H. N. Herrick, Assistants; G. B. Work, L. J. Naftzger, C. E. Bacon, H. C. Smith, Statisticians; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary.
42	Apr. 9-14.. 1885	New Castle	Walden	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; M. Mahin, H. N. Herrick, Assistants; J. E. Ervin, R. R. Secretary; L. J. Naftzger, Statistical Secretary; I. J. Bicknell, C. E. Bacon, T. C. Neal, C. E. White, B. Sawyer, E. R. Small, Statisticians.
43	Apr. 8-13.....1886	Warsaw	Harris	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; H. N. Herrick, W. H. Daniel, Assistants; L. A. Beeks, R. R. Secretary; L. J. Naftzger, Statistical Secretary; J. H. Slack, W. S. Stewart, T. C. Neal, C. E. White, J. Thomas, E. R. Small, Statisticians.
44	Apr. 7-12.....1887	Marion	Hurst	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; H. N. Herrick, W. H. Daniel. Assistants; L. A. Beeks, R. R. Secretary; L. J. Naftzger, Statistical Secretary; J. H. Slack. A. J. Carey, L. E. Knox, A. S. Rogers, T. M. Guild, T. C. Neal, Statisticians.
45	Mar. 28-Apr. 2..1888	Wabash	Merrill	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; H. N. Herrick, W. H. Daniel, Assistants; L. A. Beeks, R. R. Secretary; L. J. Naftzger, Statistical Secretary; T. C. Neal, H. Bridge, C. H. Murray, L. E. Knox, A. S. Rogers, T. M. Guild, Statisticians.
46	Apr. 3-8.....1889	LaGrange	Andrews	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; H. N. Herrick, W. H. Daniel, Assistants; L. A. Beeks, R. R. Secretary; T. C. Neal, Statistical Secretary; A. S. Rogers, Assistant Statistical Secretary; M. Mahin, Treasurer; J. I. McCoy, Assistant Treasurer.
47	Apr. 2-7.....1890	Muncie	Ninde	C. G. Hudson, Secretary; H. N. Herrick, W. H. Daniel, Assistants; L. A. Beeks, R. R. Secretary; T. C. Neal, Statistical Secretary; A. S. Rogers, Assistant Statistical Secretary; J. I. McCoy, Treasurer; W. S. Stewart, Assistant Treasurer.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

TOM C. NEAL, Statistical Secretary,
North Manchester, Ind.

ALERED S. ROGERS, Assistant.

GENERAL STATISTICS, No. 1.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership.			Bap'm		Church Property.								S. Schools.			Benevolent Collections.											Min. Support.		Other Collections.	
																	For Missions.														
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (sexton, light, fuel, etc.)	No. of Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday-schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-school Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.		
Ft. Wayne District—																															
1 Angola	12	200	1	3	10	1	1	$10,000	1	$1,500	$9,000	.....	$2,000	$75	1	25	225	$45	$20	$65	$4	$1	$1	$4	$4	$6	.....	$9	$957	$35	.....	1
2 Auburn	72	268	1	3	.....	28	1	2,000	1	1,500	.....	.....	.....	121	1	31	180	100	30	130	15	2	2	15	9	13	$107	.....	1,015	42	.....	2
3 Auburn Circuit	15	64	...	...	2	15	1	1,200	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	3	25	150	.....	10	10	.....	...	...	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	186	.....	.....	3
4 Bluffton	131	350	1	4	19	10	1	12,000	1	3,000	65	.....	.....	300	1	35	413	190	10	200	35	8	8	35	20	4	176	50	1,329	65	.....	4
5 Churubusco	24	263	1	3	1	24	5	8,500	1	1,000	200	150	275	125	4	50	300	70	25	95	20	4	4	17	8	.....	.....	.....	826	31	.....	5
6 Coesse	24	170	...	...	10	15	4	3,500	1	300	200	.....	.....	65	4	40	226	25	.....	25	2	...	...	2	1	.....	.....	.....	236	10	.....	6
7 Decatur	115	150	3	6	6	20	1	15,000	...	.....	900	.....	.....	270	1	24	265	56	29	85	4	1	1	4	5	.....	11	4	1,017	32	$17	7
8 Ft. W'n, Berry St	11	307	3	7	10	8	1	22,000	1	8,000	700	.....	3,200	270	1	16	155	93	65	158	35	7	6	35	12	5	103	18	1,529	64	80	8
9 " Simpson	5	43	1	...	2	1	1	4,000	...	.....	14	.....	1,400	100	1	7	70	9	1	10	.....	..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	321	.....	.....	9
10 " St. Paul	55	191	1	...	12	15	1	4,800	1	1,200	60	600	800	162	1	22	160	14	.....	14	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	749	4	.....	10
11 " Trinity	12	119	...	...	4	5	1	2,000	1	1,000	500	.....	400	74	1	19	150	12	8	20	2	...	...	2	5	.....	65	.....	625	13	...	11
12 " W'yne St	53	447	3	5	14	4	1	25,000	1	5,000	1,000	2,500	.....	450	1	30	350	175	75	250	20	2	2	10	48	.....	65	.....	1,950	80	125	12
13 Fremont	13	161	...	3	.....	.....	2	3,700	1	400	45	.....	400	80	3	38	175	27	13	40	5	1	1	5	5	1	.....	67	620	20	.....	13
14 Garrett	12	264	...	1	15	10	2	7,000	1	1,400	390	350	150	175	2	40	300	95	5	100	6	1	1	5	6	.....	33	...	1,038	40	.....	14
15 Geneva	35	190	...	2	4	7	4	2,800	1	800	575	.....	60	150	3	27	175	35	40	75	2	1	1	3	6	1	.....	.....	461	25	.....	15
16 Harlan	21	197	2	1	1	8	4	9,050	1	575	100	.....	.....	100	4	45	325	65	10	75	2	...	...	2	2	.....	.....	.....	725	25	.....	16
17 Huntertown	28	169	...	6	1	4	4	5,500	1	1,000	40	40	100	150	4	43	238	30	15	45	2	1	1	2	2	1	.....	.....	643	24	.....	17
18 Huntington	45	384	1	2	4	16	1	29,000	...	.....	12,000	.....	.....	500	1	36	500	70	50	120	5	...	...	10	4	5	85	.....	1,302	40	25	18
19 Leo	15	268	1	4	.....	.....	5	8,200	1	1,300	300	500	100	125	5	65	315	99	1	100	6	1	1	5	3	.....	20	.....	834	35	.....	19
20 Markle	69	238	.	5	.....	9	3	3,000	1	800	74	.....	235	100	4	50	320	45	10	55	3	1	1	4	10	.....	.....	.....	465	15	....	20
21 Monroe	35	312	...	2	3	23	5	4,200	1	300	225	.....	.....	120	6	54	400	30	10	40	.....	...	...	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	520	5	.....	21
22 Monroeville	80	310	...	3	9	35	6	7,500	1	800	271	155	38	166	6	66	432	90	10	100	2	1	1	2	10	.....	.....	.....	800	25	.....	22
23 New Haven	3	67	1	1	5	.....	3	3,500	...	.....	120	.....	.....	22	4	40	202	1	15	16	2	1	1	2	5	.....	.....	.....	528	8	.....	23
24 Ossian	33	329	3	5	6	21	4	4,000	1	900	110	265	200	130	4	62	493	75	25	100	1	1	1	3	8	1	47	.....	878	25	14	24
25 Poneto	61	288	2	7	4	28	4	2,700	1	600	170	.....	.....	150	4	76	380	72	8	80	5	1	...	5	4	.....	.....	.....	579	30	2	25
26 Roanoke	18	233	...	4	3	15	3	7,800	1	700	4,000	.....	.....	175	3	31	175	24	6	30	4	...	...	4	2	.....	1	1	630	10	.....	26
27 Sheldon	6	112	...	1	8	15	2	2,500	...	.....	.....	.....	146	.....	2	25	150	18	.....	18	1	1	...	2	3	.....	.....	.....	345	15	.....	27
Total	1003	6094	25	78	153	437	71	210,450	21	32,075	31,059	4,706	9,358	4,230	75	1022	7224	1,565	491	2,056	183	36	33	178	197	38	648	149	21,008	718	263	
Last year	1122	5635	28	78	147	250	70	193,550	18	28,175	27,476	2,745	11,970	4,300	70	937	6550	1,415	433	1,848	112	20	17	111	174	82	506	130	20,681	627	605	
Increase	.....	359	...	...	6	187	1	16,900	3	3,900	3,583	1,961	.....	.....	5	85	674	150	58	208	71	16	16	67	23	.....	142	19	327	91	.....	
Decrease	119	.....	3	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	2,612	70	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	342	

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Receipts, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Paid.	BISHOPS. Apportioned.	BISHOPS. Paid.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Apportioned.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Paid.	
	Fort Wayne District—											
1	Angola	J. A. Beaty	$900 00*	$900 00		$45 00	$45 00	$14 00	$12 00	$35 00	$35 00	1
2	Auburn	H. M. Lamport	900 00*	920 00		80 00	80 00	15 00	15 00	42 00	42 00	2
3	Auburn Circuit	Geo. W. Weeks	275 00	171 00	$104 00	20 00	15 00	5 00		8 00		3
4	Bluffton	J. H. Jackson	1,200 00*	1,200 00		110 00	110 00	19 00	19 00	65 00	65 00	4
5	Churubusco	B. Sawyer	784 00*	755 00	29 00	65 00	59 00	13 00	12 00	31 00	31 00	5
6	Coesse	D. Markley‡	636 00*	182 00	454 00	50 00	50 00	12 00	4 00	30 00	10 00	6
7	Decatur	G. B. Work	910 00	910 00		90 00	90 00	17 00	17 00	32 00	32 00	7
8	Ft. Wayne, Berry St.	W. M. Van Slyke	1,400 00*	1,400 00		109 00	109 00	20 00	20 00	64 00	64 00	8
9	" Simpson	G. B. M. Rogers	300 00	306 00		20 00	18 00	10 00	3 00	10 00		9
10	" St. Paul	M. C. Cooper	727 00*	727 00		20 00	20 00	8 00	5 00	21 00	4 00	10
11	" Trinity	N. D. Shackelford	700 00*	600 00	100 00	20 00	20 00	7 00	5 00	20 00	13 00	11
12	" Wayne St.	R. M. Barns	1,800 00*	1,800 00		125 00	125 00	25 00	25 00	80 00	80 00	12
13	Fremont	L. Reeves	625 00*	575 00	50 00	45 00	40 00	13 00	5 00	40 00	20 00	13
14	Garrett	W. R. Wones	970 00*	970 00		55 00	55 00	13 00	13 00	52 00	40 00	14
15	Geneva	C. M. Hollopeter	450 00*	410 00	40 00	60 00	42 00	15 00	9 00	39 00	25 00	15
16	Harlan	T. F. Frech	660 00*	660 00		45 00	60 00	12 00	5 00	35 00	25 00	16
17	Huntertown	A. L. Forkner	625 00*	584 00	41 00	58 00	49 00	15 00	10 00	34 00	24 00	17
18	Huntington	G. H. Hill	1,175 00	1,175 00		108 00	108 00	19 00	19 00	65 00	40 00	18
19	Leo	A. H. Currie	775 00*	748 00	27 00	75 00	72 00	15 00	14 00	52 00	35 00	19
20	Markle	A. C. Gruber†	550 00*	415 00	135 00	55 00	45 00	13 00	5 00	35 00	15 00	20
21	Monroe	H. C Ashcraft	550 00*	479 00	71 00	50 00	43 00	9 00	8 00	47 00	5 00	21
22	Monroeville	B. S. Hollopeter	725 00*	725 00		60 00	60 00	15 00	15 00	22 00	25 00	22
23	New Haven	J. C. Dorwin	500 00	500 00		20 00	20 00	8 00	8 00	18 00	8 00	23
24	Ossian	Henry Bridge	800 00*	800 00		65 00	65 00	13 00	13 00	54 00	25 00	24
25	Poncto	J. M. Haines	572 00*	517 00	55 00	54 00	51 00	11 00	11 00	49 00	30 00	25
26	Roanoke	J. B. Alleman	675 00*	569 00	106 00	60 00	55 00	12 00	6 00	41 00	10 00	26
27	Sheldon	A. G. McCarter	315 00	315 00		36 00	27 00	9 00	3 00	19 00	15 00	27
	Total		20,519 00	19,307 00	1,212 00	1600 00	1533 00	357 00	281 00	1040 00	718 00	
	Last year		19,952 00	18,916 00	936 00	1600 00	1547 00	263 00	214 00	1035 00	627 00	
	Increase		567 00	391 00	276 00			94 00	67 00	5 00	91 00	
	Decrease						14 00					

*Parsonages. †E. B. Westhafer, 3 mos. ‡Part of year.

GENERAL STATISTICS, No. I—Continued.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP. No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	BAP'M No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	CHURCH PROPERTY. No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (sexton, light, fuel, etc.)	S. SCHOOLS. No. of Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all ages.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS. FOR MISSIONS. From Churches.	From Sunday-schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-school Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	MIN. SUPPORT. For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	Other Collections.	
Goshen District—																																
28 Albion	9	265	3	...	.....	.....	3	$3,400	1	$1,200	$30	.....	.....	$155	3	41	203	$65	$5	$70	$15	$4	$4	$15	$6	.....	$10	.....	$855	$35	.....	28
29 Bristol	114	150	...	...	28	35	1	1,500	1	500	.....	$40	.....	125	1	22	140	45	5	50	8	3	3	8	6	.....	9	.....	604	20	.....	29
30 Butler	158	323	...	...	32	69	3	13,500	1	600	9,500	.....	$2,000	240	3	48	337	68	17	85	5	1	1	4	2	$1	11	.....	1,008	25	.....	30
31 Corunna	22	288	2	2	1	46	5	11,500	1	2,000	640	12	150	190	5	55	385	90	.....	90	15	4	4	15	6	1	1	$1	891	35	.....	31
32 Elkhart	30	427	2	5	5	38	1	27,500	1	1,000	12,500	.....	15,000	325	1	35	374	139	36	175	12	3	2	12	11	2	52	21	1,331	65	$75	32
33 Elkhart Circuit	11	119	1	3	1	5	4	4,500	1	1,200	10	.....	.....	75	3	31	197	15	5	20	2	1	1	3	5	1	.....	.....	663	20	.....	33
34 Goshen, 1st Ch'h.	84	693	...	7	16	74	1	20,000	1	2,000	175	.....	.....	400	1	30	300	130	50	230	33	10	10	33	14	.....	88	100	1,646	85	.....	34
35 " 2d Ch'ch	111	96	1	1	14	15	1	3,500	...	.....	1,370	.....	1,000	100	1	22	156	30	.....	30	2	2	1	1	11	.....	.....	.....	671	10	.....	35
36 Hamilton	130	148	3	1	.....	13	4	5,300	1	700	145	26	15	136	3	46	241	80	.....	80	13	2	2	12	7	.....	.....	.....	666	20	.....	36
37 Kendallville	24	187	1	...	3	16	1	12,000	1	2,250	2,027	40	383	175	1	21	156	50	34	84	10	4	4	10	4	1	40	.....	879	30	.....	37
38 LaGrange	27	323	1	9	2	11	1	18,000	...	.....	.....	2,090	4,836	250	1	40	270	103	30	133	5	1	1	5	10	1	57	.....	1,245	50	20	38
39 Leesburg	123	328	1	4	1	11	4	5,100	1	1,200	2,600	40	90	130	3	33	247	100	.....	100	19	4	4	19	9	.....	.....	80	762	40	.....	39
40 Lima	19	150	...	2	.....	17	3	4,000	2	1,000	550	.....	60	75	3	27	100	97	7	102	5	1	1	5	6	1	.....	.....	711	20	.....	40
41 Ligonier	7	176	...	2	1	11	1	4,000	1	900	25	.....	.....	190	1	28	213	77	25	102	7	2	2	7	7	3	102	.....	986	35	12	41
42 Middlebury	14	205	...	...	.....	10	2	4,300	1	800	63	.....	.....	100	3	27	192	34	6	40	5	1	1	5	3	.....	10	.....	718	15	.....	42
43 Milford	13	120	...	2	6	22	2	5,700	1	700	55	.....	.....	136	2	30	175	55	5	60	10	3	3	8	3	.....	.....	66	742	20	.....	43
44 Mishawaka	32	250	1	...	5	17	1	20,000	1	2,500	115	.....	1,200	160	1	22	200	95	20	115	3	1	1	2	3	5	55	13	1,272	45	60	44
45 Nappanee	20	159	2	1	.....	.....	3	8,300	...	.....	104	400	1,600	57	2	28	311	52	5	57	8	3	3	8	4	.....	6	26	642	25	.....	45
46 New Paris	3	177	...	...	.....	.....	4	9,000	1	1,500	1,250	.....	.....	100	3	50	313	87	3	90	1	1	1	3	6	1	3	.....	729	30	1	46
47 Orland	113	217	1	3	1	13	3	5,000	1	750	70	.....	.....	155	4	53	384	60	12	72	11	4	4	11	10	1	.....	12	758	20	2	47
48 Osceola	49	214	...	5	1	3	2	2,700	1	700	300	.....	.....	97	3	36	242	100	.....	100	14	2	1	10	4	1	.....	.....	748	22	.....	48
49 Valentine	80	236	...	3	5	25	4	5,900	1	800	140	.....	.....	150	5	55	285	40	.....	40	1	1	1	1	4	1	.....	.....	603	11	.....	49
50 Waterloo	.....	250	1	...	5	14	2	6,000	1	900	60	389	1,000	90	2	30	200	12	8	20	5	1	1	5	2	1	20	.....	786	20	90	50
51 Wawaka	14	226	1	4	20	70	4	10,000	1	500	.....	441	219	200	4	53	308	75	.....	75	13	4	4	14	5	2	6	.....	765	30	.....	51
52 Wolcottville	21	178	1	2	4	.....	2	6,000	1	800	525	.....	.....	115	2	41	220	85	5	90	8	2	1	8	10	.....	.....	74	765	35	.....	52
Total	1128	5805	22	56	151	535	62	216,700	23	24,500	31,754	3,478	27,553	3,926	61	904	6149	1,832	278	2,110	230	55	61	224	158	23	470	393	21,446	763	260	
Last year	1245	5284	26	70	71	267	60	186,300	22	22,550	20,867	1,672	3,708	3,578	58	871	5662	1,780	288	2,068	242	26	25	226	157	38	577	83	20,101	617	374	
Increase	.....	521	...	...	80	268	2	30,400	1	1,950	10,887	1,806	23,845	348	3	33	487	52	.....	42	.....	29	36	.....	1	...	.....	310	1,345	146	.....	
Decrease	117	.....	4	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	12	...	...	2	.....	5	107	.....	.....	.....	114	

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	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Receipts, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Paid.	BISHOPS. Apportioned.	BISHOPS. Paid.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Apportioned.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Paid.	
	Goshen District.											
28	Albion	O. S. Harrison	$820 00*	$820 00		$48 00	$48 00	$10 00	$7 00	$35 00	$35 00	28
29	Bristol	A. L. Lamport	560 00*	560 00		32 00	37 00	7 00	7 00	20 00	20 00	29
30	Butler	A. Cone	932 00	932 00		70 00	70 00	12 00	6 00	55 00	25 00	30
31	Corunna	M. R. Pierce	825 00*	825 00		55 00	55 00	11 00	11 00	35 00	35 00	31
32	Elkhart	W. D. Parr	1,200 00	1,200 00		113 00	113 00	18 00	18 00	65 00	65 00	32
33	Elkhart Circuit	W. M. Stranahan	620 00*	620 00		36 00	36 00	9 00	7 00	30 00	20 00	33
34	Goshen, First Church	C. C. Albertson	1,500 00*	1,500 00		125 00	125 00	21 00	21 00	85 00	85 00	34
35	Goshen, Second Church	F. D. Newhouse	646 00	646 00		25 00	25 00	5 00		10 00	10 00	35
36	Hamilton	A. V. Knepper	600 00	600 00		55 00	55 00	11 00	11 00	35 00	20 00	36
37	Kendallville	L. A. Beeks	820 00*	820 00		50 00	50 00	9 00	9 00	30 00	30 00	37
38	LaGrange	L. J. Naftzger	1,132 00	1,132 00		96 00	96 00	17 00	17 00	50 00	50 00	38
39	Leesburg	F. M. Stone	700 00*	700 00		50 00	50 00	12 00	12 00	40 00	40 00	39
40	Lima	J. I. McCoy	650 00*	650 00		50 00	50 00	11 00	11 00	35 00	20 00	40
41	Ligonier	E. F. Hasty	900 00*	900 00		74 00	74 00	12 00	12 00	35 00	35 00	41
42	Middlebury	A. J. Carey	660 00	660 00		50 00	50 00	8 00	8 00	25 00	15 00	42
43	Milford	C. H. Murray	700 00*	700 00		34 00	34 00	8 00	8 00	20 00	20 00	43
44	Mishawaka	F. G. Browne	1,200 00*	1,200 00		60 00	60 00	12 00	12 00	45 00	45 00	44
45	Nappanee	J. S. Cain †	600 00	600 00		35 00	35 00	7 00	7 00	25 00	25 00	45
46	New Paris	Wm. Parfitt	650 00*	650 00		66 00	66 00	13 00	14 00	40 00	30 00	46
47	Orland	S. Powell	700 00*	700 00		50 00	50 00	8 00	8 00	20 00	20 00	47
48	Osceola	M. H. Smith	675 00*	675 00		60 00	60 00	13 00	9 00	50 00	22 00	48
49	Valentine	D. V. Williams	560 00*	560 00		34 00	34 00	9 00	9 00	25 00	11 00	49
50	Waterloo	H. C. Smith	725 00*	725 00		50 00	50 00	11 00	8 00	30 00	20 00	50
51	Wawaka	J. M. DeWeese	700 00*	700 00		55 00	55 00	10 00	10 00	27 00	30 00	51
52	Wolcottville	A. S. Preston	700 00*	700 00		54 00	54 00	11 00	11 00	35 00	35 00	52
	Total		19,775 00	19,775 00		1,427 00	1,427 00	275 00	253 00	902 00	763 00	
	Last year		18,648 00	18,505 00	143 00	1,400 00	1,400 00	221 00	196 00	741 00	617 00	
	Increase		1,127 00	1,250 00		27 00	27 00	54 00	57 00	161 00	146 00	
	Decrease				143 00							

*Parsonages. †C. O. Merica, $245 00.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Bap'm		Church Property.								S. Schools.			Benevolent Collections.										Min. Support.		Other Collections.	
																		For Missions.												
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (sexton, light, fuel, etc.)	No. of Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all Ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday-schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-school Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	
Kokomo District—																														
53 Alto	70	297	1	2	2	2	5	$7,500	1	$1,000	$875	$150	$50	$200	5	60	320	$20	$10	$30	$5	$1	$1	$5	$2	$1	$19	.....	$670	$30	.....	53
54 Bunker Hill	19	225	2	1	4	10	3	7,000	1	1,200	100	50	150	200	3	32	250	20	10	30	2	1	1	2	3	1	20	.....	712	8	$100	54
55 Cicero	108	300	...	2	5	4	4	5,000	1	600	175	.....	20	150	4	60	400	44	8	52	9	1	1	8	6	1	.....	.....	658	26	.....	55
56 Elwood	13	190	1	4	4	20	1	8,000	1	2,000	.....	200	600	50	1	28	410	6	9	15	1	1	1	1	2	1	18	.....	786	5	.....	56
57 Frankton	25	150	...	3	.....	12	2	3,000	...	.....	40	.....	.....	30	2	31	180	19	1	20	3	1	1	3	5	1	.....	.....	437	5	.....	57
58 Galveston	22	91	...	1	2	4	1	4,000	...	.....	100	.....	.....	50	1	14	80	25	10	35	1	1	1	1	2	1	.....	.....	589	7	99	58
59 Goldsmith	45	213	2	2	1	47	3	1,800	1	500	18	302	.....	600	2	23	150	8	2	10	1	1	1	5	1	1	.....	.....	464	5	.....	59
60 Greentown	87	400	2	7	5	23	5	4,000	1	800	50	.....	.....	150	3	45	350	105	.....	105	13	3	3	13	6	2	30	.....	876	42	1	60
61 Hillisburgh	23	150	...	...	.....	.....	2	1,500	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	4	36	185	4	1	5	1	1	...	2	3	1	.....	.....	181	3	.....	61
62 Jolietville	26	268	3	2	2	31	4	7,000	1	850	100	237	372	150	5	52	350	14	6	20	1	...	...	1	.....	.....	31	.....	631	18	.....	62
63 Kokomo	40	440	3	6	.....	20	1	15,000	1	5,000	118	300	300	525	2	50	570	95	60	155	15	3	2	13	4	.....	132	$43	1,499	52	125	63
64 Logansport, B'd'y	15	380	4	1	16	22	1	2,000	633	255	400	424	1	34	275	12	30	155	17	4	2	13	8	5	100	.....	1,566	54	35	64
65 " Market St.	43	255	...	2	1	29	2	5,800	...	.....	96	290	815	47	2	35	240	39	31	70	262	3	3	12	5	2	.....	.....	905	45	.....	65
66 " Wh'tland St.	38	152	...	...	.....	.....	1	3,000	1	1,500	1,355	.....	240	60	1	18	160	7	22	29	2	1	1	2	1	1	.....	.....	630	9	.....	66
67 New Britton	.....	214	...	..	.....	13	6	5,500	1	800	274	.....	70	40	5	55	270	40	40	80	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	595	.....	.....	67
68 New Waverly	47	177	1	1	2	2	4	5,300	1	750	33	.....	.....	65	3	36	161	13	4	17	5	1	1	5	3	1	.....	.....	286	17	.....	68
69 Noblesville	23	480	5	10	27	42	1	4,000	1	3,500	.....	.....	.....	175	1	30	300	110	30	140	15	1	1	8	8	1	46	16	1,507	50	150	69
70 Peru	18	630	1	5	15	76	2	15,000	1	3,000	8,000	.....	.....	204	1	31	400	102	.....	102	15	1	1	15	8	1	74	.....	1,355	54	.....	70
71 Point Isabel	34	191	...	...	1	2	3	2,400	1	400	700	.....	.....	45	4	30	240	13	12	25	2	1	1	2	.....	.....	5	.....	541	10	.....	71
72 Russiaville	64	444	5	5	8	47	5	7,500	1	1,400	325	175	.....	315	5	65	630	40	20	60	7	2	1	6	4	1	2	1	892	20	.....	72
73 Santa Fe	240	125	1	2	7	38	4	3,900	1	600	112	.....	.....	60	2	25	140	28	4	32	2	1	1	2	2	1	14	.....	502	20	.....	73
74 Sharpsville	37	325	1	6	.....	9	3	2,800	1	1,500	.....	.....	.....	100	2	28	200	120	15	135	25	1	1	30	6	1	1	.....	771	39	.....	74
75 Sheridan	100	320	3	4	5	21	4	4,650	1	1,250	137	.....	.....	150	4	40	250	85	15	100	15	3	3	15	6	2	11	.....	736	35	.....	75
76 Tipton	26	226	1	...	15	30	1	5,000	1	2,000	.....	.....	.....	120	1	20	225	60	35	95	5	1	1	5	5	1	28	10	1,175	30	.....	76
77 Walton	23	275	1	1	.....	10	4	3,500	1	800	250	.....	.....	150	4	30	237	24	30	54	2	1	1	2	1	1	.....	.....	625	10	.....	77
78 Westfield	15	250	2	5	.....	10	4	4,500	1	650	45	120	300	100	4	46	270	40	7	47	3	1	1	8	5	.....	.....	.....	553	14	.....	78
79 Windfall	50	265	1	1	10	50	2	2,500	1	800	250	50	450	150	2	45	280	20	.....	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	.....	.....	437	10	.....	79
80 Xenia	111	251	3	2	2	38	3	9,000	1	625	80	.....	150	150	3	41	341	63	3	66	11	1	1	6	6	1	15	10	704	2	.....	80
Total	1362	7684	43	75	134	612	81	162,150	24	$33,525	$13866	$2129	$3917	$4490	77	1040	7885	$1289	$415	$1704	$443	39	34	$178	$105	$31	$547	$83	$21283	$620	$510	
Last year	1557	6738	47	85	116	576	81	162,600	23	29,150	7814	371	6531	4292	78	971	7383	1382	360	1742	179	34	25	179	105	44	412	2	19974	608	266	
Increase	.....	946	...	...	18	36	.....	$3,550	1	$4,375	$6052	$1758	.....	$198	...	69	502	.....	$55	.....	$264	$5	$9	.....	.....	.....	$135	$81	$1309	$12	$244	
Decrease	195	.....	4	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$2614	.....	1	.....	.....	$93	.....	$38	.....	.....	.....	$1	.....	$13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

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	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Receipts, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Paid.	BISHOPS. Apportioned.	BISHOPS. Paid.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Apportioned.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Paid.	
	Kokomo District.											
53	Alto	A. G. Neal	$610 00*	*610 00		$50 00	$50 00	$10 00	$10 00	$33 00	$30 00	53
54	Bunker Hill	E. F. Albertson	700 00*	650 00	$50 00	54 00	54 00	11 00	8 00	34 00	8 00	54
55	Cicero	J. S. McElwee	600 00*	600 00		50 00	50 00	10 00	8 00	33 00	26 00	55
56	Elwood	M. S. Metts	750 00*	750 00		32 00	32 00	8 00	4 00	20 00	5 00	56
57	Frankton	A. A. Turner	400 00	400 00		32 00	32 00	8 00	5 00	19 00	5 00	57
58	Galveston	C. H. Wilkinson	560 00	560 00		25 00	25 00	5 00	4 00	17 00	7 00	58
59	Goldsmith	J. L. Foster	600 00*	422 00	178 00	40 00	40 00	7 00	2 00	27 00	5 00	59
60	Greentown	T. M. Guild	800 00*	800 00		65 00	65 00	13 00	11 00	42 00	42 00	60
61	Hillisburgh	J. W. Oborn†	300 00	153 00	147 00	25 00	25 00	6 00	3 00	15 00	3 00	61
62	Jolietville	A. A. Pittinger	584 00*	584 00		42 00	42 00	9 00	5 00	28 00	18 00	62
63	Kokomo	C. H. Brown	1,380 00*	1,380 00		105 00	105 00	16 00	14 00	54 00	52 00	63
64	Logansport, Broadway	W. S. Birch	1,450 00*	1,450 00		100 00	100 00	16 00	16 00	54 00	54 00	64
65	" Market St.	W. S. Boston	850 00	850 00		45 00	45 00	10 00	10 00	27 00	45 00	65
66	" Wheatland	H. A. Davis	600 00*	600 00		25 00	25 00	7 00	5 00	21 00	9 00	66
67	New Britton	G. M. Carpenter	560 00*	535 00	25 00	50 00	50 00	10 00	10 00	35 00	10 00	67
68	New Waverly	G. M. Veach†	294 00*	242 00	52 00	40 00	40 00	8 00	4 00	27 00	17 00	68
69	Noblesville	H. J. Norris	1,400 00*	1,400 00		95 00	95 00	16 00	12 00	54 00	50 00	69
70	Peru	E. L. Semans	1,250 00*	1,250 00		90 00	90 00	15 00	15 00	54 00	54 00	70
71	Point Isabel	J. W. McDaniel	548 00*	490 00	58 00	45 00	45 00	8 00	6 00	28 00	10 00	71
72	Russiaville	L. E. Knox	820 00*	820 00		60 00	60 00	12 00	12 00	42 00	20 00	72
73	Santa Fe	D. L. Loving	460 00*	460 00		40 00	40 00	8 00	2 00	25 00	20 00	73
74	Sharpsville	J. A. R. Gahring	700 00*	700 00		60 00	60 00	12 00	11 00	39 00	39 00	74
75	Sheridan	J. D. Belt	750 00*	670 00	80 00	65 00	57 00	12 00	9 00	39 00	35 00	75
76	Tipton	E. E. Neal	1,100 0 *	1,100 00		65 00	65 00	13 00	10 00	36 00	30 00	76
77	Walton	F. A. Fish	656 00*	572 00	84 00	45 00	45 00	9 00	8 00	19 00	10 00	77
78	Westfield	E. Holdstock	600 00*	500 00	100 00	50 00	45 00	9 00	8 00	33 00	14 00	78
79	Windfall	W. E. McCarty	572 00*	397 00	175 00	40 00	38 00	9 00	2 00	23 00	10 00	79
80	Xenia	M. F. Stright	800 00*	636 00	164 00	65 00	59 00	13 00	9 00	39 00	2 00	80
	Total		20,694 00	19,581 00	1,113 00	1500 00	1479 00	290 00	223 00	917 00	630 00	
	Last year		19,285 00	18,417 00	868 00	1464 00	1431 00	233 00	195 00	905 00	608 00	
	Increase		1,409 00	1,164 00	245 00	36 00	48 00	57 00	28 00	12 00	22 00	
	Decrease											

*Parsonages. †Part of year. ‡6 mos.

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NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAP'M		CHURCH PROPERTY.							S. SCHOOLS			BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.										MIN. SUPPORT.		Other Collections.	
																	FOR MISSIONS.													
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (sexton, light, fuel, etc.)	No. of Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all Ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday-schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-school Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.		
Muncie District—																														
81 Albany	33	300	...	4	1	2	4	$6,000	1	$1,000	$275	.....	.....	$75	3	32	225	$185	$10	$195	$15	$3	$2	$12	$8	.....	$28	.....	$887	$40	$1	81
82 Alexandria	114	329	5	5	.....	47	4	9,500	1	1,200	700	.....	150	100	3	47	300	170	10	180	12	2	1	13	5	$2	.....	$3	819	45	.....	82
83 Anderson	41	534	1	6	7	12	1	25,000	...	.....	150	.....	.....	508	1	32	450	132	14	146	15	2	2	17	17	9	104	5	1,330	67	65	83
84 Anders'n Circuit	28	264	4	10	4	20	4	3,800	1	600	175	.....	.....	60	5	48	210	154	14	168	18	2	1	18	12	.....	66	.....	761	32	215	84
85 Dunkirk	37	290	...	7	4	18	2	4,000	1	600	150	.....	.....	100	2	40	350	195	45	240	12	3	2	12	7	4	66	.....	1,030	50	1	85
86 Eaton	41	283	2	1	.....	5	5	6,500	1	900	60	.....	.....	75	4	34	238	43	.....	43	4	1	...	3	2	1	.....	.....	629	21	25	86
87 Farmland	15	254	3	1	.....	1	3	3,700	1	800	125	.....	.....	130	3	40	230	87	13	100	16	2	2	16	6	1	14	.....	774	35	10	87
88 Fishersburgh	10	504	3	4	1	11	3	5,000	1	1,500	260	.....	.....	140	3	45	358	161	39	200	22	3	2	22	8	...	30	.....	1,016	50	201	88
89 Fortville	40	250	2	5	.....	4	3	4,400	1	1,000	1,400	.....	.....	150	3	40	350	68	2	70	1	...	...	9	4	.....	15	.....	870	10	.....	89
90 Hartford City	26	245	2	6	9	4	1	10,000	1	2,500	175	$450	.....	125	1	30	300	79	21	100	16	1	1	16	3	7	22	1	1,001	50	60	90
91 Jonesboro	8	117	...	2	.....	4	1	1,200	1	1,200	25	.....	.....	19	1	25	135	34	2	36	3	1	1	3	1	1	.....	.....	277	5	.....	91
92 Muncie	72	840	7	11	13	32	1	40,000	1	3,000	15,000	.....	.....	520	2	61	650	510	100	610	50	5	4	68	15	26	201	.....	1,647	130	312	92
93 Muncie Circuit	10	190	2	2	.....	5	3	4,500	1	2,500	50	.....	.....	150	3	35	150	65	.....	65	3	1	...	3	2	.....	.....	.....	644	20	.....	93
94 McCordsville	117	250	3	..	.....	.....	5	5,000	1	1,100	950	.....	.....	125	3	44	204	73	8	81	.....	...	...	.....	3	.....	.....	... ..	664	12	.....	94
95 Montpelier	14	205	..	2	.....	3	2	1,400	1	600	500	.....	.....	67	2	20	135	46	.....	46	5	1	...	6	2	.....	.....	.....	545	20	1	95
96 New Burlington	56	315	4	4	.....	5	6	5,000	1	600	250	.....	220	50	5	65	330	80	3	83	10	1	1	10	3	1	.....	.....	815	20	.....	96
97 New Corner	41	298	1	4	.....	.....	3	2,100	1	500	20	.....	.....	65	5	51	310	35	.....	35	2	1	1	2	4	1	.....	.....	588	15	1	97
98 Pendleton	16	198	1	...	2	4	2	4,000	1	1,000	70	.....	.....	125	2	30	255	36	34	70	14	3	2	14	6	10	1	1	874	40	1	98
99 Pendle'n Circuit	50	136	...	1	.....	12	3	3,700	...	.....	1,500	60	200	100	4	20	180	57	.....	57	1	...	1	1	2	.....	.....	... .	372	12	.....	99
100 Pennville	94	309	4	4	1	33	4	4,100	1	1,000	18	317	425	110	3	55	388	80	.....	80	1	...	...	1	2	.....	.....	.....	611	3	....	100
101 Perkinsville	12	250	...	2	.....	2	4	5,800	1	800	146	1,000	.....	76	4	39	325	55	.....	55	10	1	...	5	6	.....	.....	.....	729	20	1	101
102 Red Key	122	324	4	6	7	3	4	5,000	1	800	1,660	70	.....	140	4	58	430	150	.....	150	20	1	1	10	4	1	60	25	844	55	8	102
103 Selma	55	381	1	6	.....	6	4	4,500	1	1,200	800	.....	.....	120	4	65	336	120	.....	120	20	3	2	20	7	2	.....	.....	930	44	.....	103
104 Upland	10	269	2	4	.....	.....	4	5,000	1	700	356	.. ..	50	45	5	58	305	114	.....	114	10	2	1	10	6	.....	.....	.....	729	16	.....	104
105 Winchester	6	241	...	1	.....	.....	1	17,500	1	2,000	.....	.....	350	125	1	22	300	75	5	80	10	1	1	8	7	.....	21	3	1,231	24	50	105
Total	1068	7576	51	98	49	243	77	186,700	23	27,100	24815	1897	1395	3300	76	1036	7344	2804	320	3124	290	40	28	299	142	66	628	38	20617	836	952	
Last year	1307	7301	47	83	72	536	77	180,000	22	29,200	36571	3685	10360	3906	77	1011	7034	2147	290	2437	259	41	27	249	259	57	430	13	19699	787	358	
Increase	.....	275	4	15	.....	.....	.....	6,700	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	25	310	657	30	687	31	...	1	50	.....	9	198	25	918	49	594	
Decrease	239	.....	...	...	23	293	.....	.....	...	2,100	11756	1788	8965	606	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	...	.....	117	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

GENERAL STATISTICS, No. II—Continued.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Receipts, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Paid.	BISHOPS. Apportioned.	BISHOPS. Paid.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Apportioned.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Paid.	
Muncie District—											
81 Albany	J. A. Ruley	$800 00*	$800 00		$75 00	$75 00	$15 00	$12 00	$44 00	$40 00	81
82 Alexandria	S. L. Johnson	750 00*	750 00		55 00	55 00	14 00	14 00	35 00	45 00	82
83 Anderson	C. G. Hudson	1,210 00	1,210 00		100 00	100 00	20 00	20 00	65 00	67 00	83
84 Anderson Circuit	F. M. Lacey	700 00*	700 00		50 00	50 00	13 00	11 00	32 00	32 00	84
85 Dunkirk	George S. V. Howard	950 00*	950 00		65 00	65 00	15 00	15 00	40 00	50 00	85
86 Eaton	J. V. Terflinger	650 00*	573 00	$77 00	50 00	45 00	13 00	11 00	35 00	21 00	86
87 Farmland	S. J. McElwee	700 00*	700 00		60 00	60 00	14 00	14 00	35 00	35 00	87
88 Fishersburgh	N. H. Phillips	925 00*	925 00		75 00	75 00	16 00	16 00	50 00	50 00	88
89 Fortville	I. J. Bicknell	800 00*	800 00		60 00	60 00	14 00	10 00	38 00	10 00	89
90 Hartford City	L. A. Retts	950 00*	926 00	24 00	70 00	62 00	16 00	13 00	50 00	50 00	90
91 Jonesboro	W. C. McKaig	257 00*	257 00		40 00	17 00	8 00	3 00	25 00	5 00	91
92 Muncie	C. U. Wade	1,500 00*	1,500 00		125 00	125 00	22 00	22 00	110 00	130 00	92
93 Muncie Circuit	E. Davis	713 00*	590 00	123 00	50 00	45 00	13 00	9 00	35 00	20 00	93
94 McCordsville	G. W. Green	665 00*	599 00	66 00	50 00	50 00	14 00	15 00	35 00	12 00	94
95 Montpelier	T. W. Williams	500 00*	500 00		40 00	36 00	13 00	9 00	28 00	20 00	95
96 New Burlington	P. J. Albright	775 00*	737 00	38 00	65 00	63 00	15 00	15 00	40 00	20 00	96
97 New Corner	J. D. Croan	575 00*	525 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	13 00	13 00	32 00	15 00	97
98 Pendleton	A. S. Rogers	800 00*	800 00		60 00	60 00	14 00	14 00	40 00	40 00	98
99 Pendleton Circuit	J. F. Bailey	373 00	347 00	26 00	20 00	20 00	7 00	5 00	12 00	12 00	99
100 Pennville	J. E. Keeler	625 00*	575 00	50 00	40 00	37 00	10 00	9 00	25 00	3 00	100
101 Perkinsville	J. T. Fettro	660 00*	660 00		55 00	55 00	14 00	14 00	35 00	20 00	101
102 Red Key	J. B. Cook	775 00*	775 00		55 00	55 00	14 00	14 00	35 00	55 00	102
103 Selma	C. E. White	850 00*	850 00		65 00	65 00	15 00	15 00	44 00	44 00	103
104 Upland	J. C. White	660 00*	660 00		55 00	55 00	14 00	14 00	35 00	16 00	104
105 Winchester	J. A. Lewellen	1,150 00*	1,150 00		70 00	70 00	16 00	11 00	45 00	24 00	105
Total		19,313 00	18,859 00	454 00	1,500 00	1,450 00	352 00	318 00	1,000 00	836 00	
Last year		18,388 00	18,036 00	352 00	1,450 00	1,426 00	246 00	237 00	1,000 00	796 00	
Increase		925 00	823 00	102 00	50 00	24 00	106 00	81 00	.....	40 00	
Decrease		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

*Parsonages.

GENERAL STATISTICS, No. I—Continued.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP. No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	BAP'M No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	CHURCH PROPERTY. No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (sexton, light, fuel, etc.)	S. SCHOOLS No. of Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all Ages	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS. FOR MISSIONS. From Churches.	From Sunday-schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-school Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	MIN. SUPPORT. For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	Other Collections.	
Richmond District—																																
106 Cadiz	33	222	4	1	3	21	5	$7,100	1	$800	$120	.....	.....	$100	4	28	180	$45	$15	$60	$4	...	...	$4	$4	.....	.....	.....	$ 58	$20	$1	106
107 Cambridge City.	10	171	...	1	1	12	1	3,000	...	.....	120	$318	.....	90	1	24	170	6	10	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$1	647	8	.....	107
108 Centerville	8	75	...	2	.....	.....	1	4,000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	1	19	130	8	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	172	10	.....	108
109 Charlottesville	15	275	2	6	.....	3	4	5,000	1	600	70	.....	.....	60	4	35	200	25	6	31	9	$1	$1	9	5	.....	.....	.....	671	30	.....	109
110 Dublin & Lewisv	40	208	...	4	1	2	3	4,000	1	600	.....	.....	$80	190	...	...	.....	14	11	25	3	...	...	3	6	...	.....	.....	693	12	1	110
111 Fountain City	56	281	2	...	.....	.....	4	5,000	1	1,000	250	.....	.....	200	4	40	300	20	.....	20	5	1	1	5	.....	$1	.....	.....	723	10	.....	111
112 Greenfield	53	279	2	7	1	20	1	8,000	1	3,000	80	.....	.....	248	1	38	403	18	47	65	5	2	2	5	6	7	$35	.....	1,188	60	.....	112
113 Hagerstown	73	284	3	1	4	26	5	6,000	1	600	9	.....	.....	100	4	45	380	70	.....	70	3	1	1	2	2	1	.....	.....	726	25	.....	113
114 Knightstown	9	338	...	1	.....	4	1	15,000	1	5,000	.....	1,070	.....	300	1	27	250	80	8	88	10	1	1	12	3	17	61	1	1,064	50	1	114
115 Losantville	42	65	2	1	.....	9	1	100	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	...	...	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	120	1	.....	115
116 Lynn	45	180	2	4	.....	1	4	5,500	...	.....	.....	72	257	64	3	32	225	30	.....	30	4	1	1	4	2	1	.....	.....	391	12	.....	116
117 Middletown	.....	178	1	1	.....	.....	3	7,500	1	1,000	103	.....	.....	85	1	18	130	46	.....	46	5	...	...	5	3	1	.....	.....	670	22	.....	117
118 New Castle	16	360	9	1	7	3	1	10,000	1	3,000	.....	150	450	300	1	20	175	150	25	175	5	1	1	10	1	1	61	61	1,264	75	....	118
119 Ogden	11	68	...	...	.....	1	1	1,000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	1	11	50	5	5	10	2	2	1	2	1	1	.....	.....	162	5	.....	119
120 Philadelphia	124	345	1	1	.....	29	5	4,700	1	400	10	5	.....	50	4	44	300	55	10	65	6	2	1	6	3	1	.....	.....	659	25	10	120
121 Portland	22	288	1	..	4	8	1	6,000	1	2,000	705	130	60	104	1	30	250	78	47	125	14	2	2	13	10	7	.....	.....	1,293	40	1	121
122 Portland Circuit	104	167	...	1	1	.....	4	4,350	...	.....	88	.....	160	50	4	40	200	21	5	26	3	2	1	3	2	1	38	.....	386	5	.....	122
123 Richmond, 1st C	46	552	5	12	16	25	1	50,000	1	3,000	135	.....	600	417	1	38	450	183	87	270	160	5	5	140	10	12	157	98	1,596	96	.....	123
124 " Grace C'h	72	369	2	5	4	15	1	40,000	...	.....	228	714	.....	459	...	...	.....	100	50	150	125	1	1	105	14	12	174	.....	1,481	51	.....	124
125 Ridgeville	96	270	2	3	4	1	4	10,000	1	1,000	100	500	1,200	160	4	44	410	40	.....	40	4	1	1	4	2	1	.....	.....	730	24	.....	125
126 Spiceland	30	135	1	4	.....	12	4	4,000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	4	30	240	40	.....	40	3	1	...	4	1	.....	.....	.....	463	10	.....	126
127 Trenton	15	299	1	1	...	57	4	4,000	1	600	750	.....	.....	150	2	25	200	33	7	40	4	1	...	4	2	.....	.....	.....	683	15	1	127
128 Union City	31	423	1	3	5	25	1	14,000	1	2,000	206	.....	.....	255	1	45	370	165	50	215	20	2	1	20	12	1	124	.....	1,515	80	.....	128
129 Whitewater	38	238	6	6	.....	2	4	4,800	1	300	125	305	90	130	5	70	350	30	.....	30	1	...	...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	497	10	.....	129
130 Williamsburgh	59	252	...	2	3	16	4	5,050	1	500	175	.....	.....	100	4	46	267	15	60	75	10	...	...	5	.....	.....	15	.....	726	20	3	130
131 Yorktown	3	170	3	1	.....	.....	3	3,000	...	.....	250	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	14	.....	14	1	...	...	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	442	4	.....	131
Total	1051	6492	50	69	54	292	71	231,100	17	25,400	3,524	3,264	2,897	3,812	63	860	6321	1,292	443	1,735	306	27	21	368	91	66	665	161	19,520	720	19	
Last year	1080	6393	54	79	107	233	73	224,050	17	25,660	12,020	607	4,503	4,628	66	814	6245	1,477	572	2,049	191	25	26	189	109	56	474	51	19,114	811	374	
Increase	.....	99	...	...	.....	59	.....	...	...	.....	.....	2,657	.....	.....	...	46	76	.....	.....	.....	115	2	...	179	.....	10	191	110	406	.....	.....	
Decrease	29	.....	4	10	53	.....	2	7,050	...	260	8,496	.....	1,606	816	3	.....	.....	185	129	314	.....	.....	5	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	91	355	

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NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Receipts, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Paid.	BISHOPS. Apportioned.	BISHOPS. Paid.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Apportioned.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Paid.	
Richmond District.											
106 Cadiz	C. C. Cissell	$560 00*	$505 00	$55 00	$50 00	$45 00	$10 00	$8 00	$40 00	20 00	106
107 Cambridge City	J. W. Paschall	600 00	600 00		55 00	42 00	7 00	5 00	30 00	8 00	107
108 Centerville	John Heim	400 00	†125 00	275 00	45 00	45 00	9 00	2 00	20 00	10 00	108
109 Charlottesville	A. M Patterson	675 00*	605 00	70 00	60 00	56 00	11 00	10 00	53 00	30 00	109
110 Dublin and Lewisville	R. S. Reed	650 00	650 00		47 00	34 00	11 00	9 00	35 00	12 00	110
111 Fountain City	I. M Hoagwood	675 00*	675 00		50 00	43 00	9 00	5 00	35 00	10 00	111
112 Greenfield	J. K. Walts	1,100 00*	1,100 00		75 00	75 00	13 00	13 00	60 00	60 00	112
113 Hagerstown	J. O. Bills	675 00*	655 00	20 00	60 00	60 00	11 00	11 00	40 00	25 00	113
114 Knightstown	J. W. Welch	950 00*	950 00		100 00	100 00	14 00	14 00	70 00	50 00	114
115 Losantville	W. F. Hunt	300 00	100 00	200 00	24 00	19 00	4 00	1 00	10 00	1 00	115
116 Lynn	A. B. Fry	464 00	356 00	108 00	32 00	32 00	4 00	3 00	25 00	12 00	116
117 Middletown	R. B. Powell	600 00*	600 00		60 00	60 00	10 00	10 00	17 00	22 00	117
118 New Castle	A. S. Wooten	1,150 00*	1,150 00		100 00	100 00	14 00	14 00	75 00	75 00	118
119 Ogden	R. F. Brewington	150 00	150 00		10 00	10 00	2 00	2 00	5 00	5 00	119
120 Philadelphia	D. H. Guild	600 00*	600 00		50 00	50 00	9 00	9 00	30 00	25 00	120
121 Portland	C. E. Disbro	1,200 00*	1,200 00		80 00	80 00	13 00	13 00	50 00	40 00	121
122 Portland Circuit	A. Kissell	350 00	350 00		32 00	32 00	4 00	4 00	20 00	5 00	122
123 Richmond First Ch	A. W. Lamport	1,450 00*	1,450 00		125 00	125 00	21 00	21 00	96 00	96 00	123
124 " Grace Ch	M. Mahin	1,350 00	1,350 00		110 00	110 00	21 00	21 00	82 00	51 00	124
125 Ridgeville	C. Harvey	684 00*	672 00	12 00	50 00	50 00	8 00	8 00	32 00	24 00	125
126 Spiceland	W. Peck	472 00	422 00	50 00	40 00	34 00	8 00	7 00	30 10	10 00	126
127 Trenton	J. H. Slack	722 00	623 00	99 00	50 00	50 00	10 00	10 00	32 00	15 00	127
128 Union City	W. H. Daniel	1,400 00*	1,400 00		100 00	100 00	15 00	15 00	80 00	80 00	128
129 Whitewater	L. A. Sevits	550 00*	450 00	100 00	50 00	40 00	10 00	7 00	36 00	10 00	129
130 Williamsburg	M. A. Harlan	675 00*	655 00	20 00	60 00	60 00	11 00	11 00	40 00	20 00	130
131 Yorktown	J. H. McMahon	400 00	400 00		40 00	30 00	4 00	2 00	21 00	4 00	131
Total		18,802 00	17,793 00	1,009 00	1555 00	1462 00	263 00	235 00	1064 00	720 00	
Last year		18,120 00	17,348 00	772 00	1500 00	1437 00	259 00	239 00	1049 00	811 00	
Increase		682 00	445 00	237 00	55 00	25 00	4 00		15 00		
Decrease								4 00		91 00	

*Parsonages. †4 mos.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Bap'm		Church Property.								S. Shools.			Benevolent Collections.										Min. Support.			
																		For Missions.												
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Propetry.	Current Expenses (sexton, light, fuel, etc.)	No. of Scholars.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all Ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday-schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-school Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	Other Collections.	
Warsaw District—																															
132 Akron	28	155	1	1	.....	39	4	$4,300	1	$500	$20	.....	.....	$104	3	34	210	$58	$2	$60	$10	$1	$1	$10	$11	$1	....	.....	$478	$20	.....	132
133 Andrews	225	400	2	2	10	62	4	6,000	1	1,500	40	.....	.....	125	4	50	300	155	10	165	20	1	1	20	18	1	.....	.....	851	60	$25	133
134 Atwood	18	179	1	2	.....	3	3	5,800	1	500	10	$102	$190	90	5	65	250	31	4	35	1	...	...	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	485	15	.....	134
135 Bourbon	18	200	1	2	3	7	2	8,000	1	1,000	335	450	180	184	2	32	300	35	12	47	5	1	1	5	10	1	$2	$6	785	24	.....	135
136 Columbia City	5	131	...	1	2	11	1	10,000	1	800	796	.....	.....	150	1	23	135	27	26	53	5	1	1	5	6	2	5	40	716	15	.....	136
137 Inwood	86	210	4	6	.....	5	3	3,500	1	700	93	.....	25	109	2	38	215	18	15	33	1	1	1	8	8	.....	.....	.....	621	35	.....	137
138 LaFontaine	.....	260	...	3	.....	4	4	3,800	1	800	15	.....	.....	75	4	35	240	43	7	50	.....	1	1	3	9	.....	.....	25	683	20	.....	138
139 LaGro	15	261	1	5	.....	8	4	5,400	1	1,000	35	.....	.....	150	4	40	265	115	.....	115	12	1	1	11	12	3	.....	.. ...	795	50	.....	139
140 Larwill	19	187	1	6	2	13	3	9,500	1	800	119	.....	.....	118	3	35	210	58	2	60	4	1	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	730	20	.....	140
141 Macy	7	337	5	...	1	9	5	5,800	1	1,000	.....	.....	.....	115	5	49	278	72	.....	72	5	2	1	3	10	2	1	1	727	19	.....	141
142 Marion	8	700	2	7	25	31	1	30,000	1	7,000	3,000	.....	.....	300	1	50	500	162	38	200	10	1	1	10	5	4	56	267	1,937	75	.....	142
143 Marion Circuit	25	174	1	1	.....	28	4	4,800	...	.....	100	.....	.....	75	3	30	200	8	.....	8	1	...	...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	361	2	.....	143
144 Mentone	.....	245	5	1	3	11	3	7,200	1	1,000	1,875	60	200	100	3	45	340	50	10	60	3	1	1	5	3	.....	.....	.....	687	22	.....	144
145 Mexico	37	366	2	7	.....	3	4	8,000	1	1,000	205	16	25	173	4	59	391	50	6	56	4	1	...	4	10	1	.....	.....	728	45	.....	145
146 Mt. Etna	187	167	2	3	2	10	3	6,500	...	.....	155	.....	.....	150	3	35	236	50	9	59	10	...	...	10	4	.....	.....	.....	438	25	.....	146
147 N. Manchester	17	126	1	4	2	10	1	14,000	1	1,000	.....	394	.....	275	1	23	229	95	30	125	20	2	2	70	12	2	114	.....	1,044	56	.....	147
148 North Webster	43	217	...	...	.....	3	4	5,000	1	1,000	29	.....	.....	146	4	52	250	40	.....	40	5	1	1	3	6	.....	.....	.....	742	12	.....	148
149 Perrysburg	30	236	2	...	.....	8	4	4,000	1	500	80	800	310	75	5	57	335	80	.....	80	10	...	...	10	5	.....	.....	.....	293	30	.....	149
150 Pierceton	28	178	1	2	2	2	1	1,200	1	800	.....	.....	.....	125	1	20	150	31	14	45	6	1	1	5	5	.....	20	.....	667	20	.....	150
151 Roann	19	160	1	1	3	11	3	4,000	1	800	30	291	270	60	3	24	170	24	.....	24	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	665	10	.....	151
152 Silver Lake	63	253	1	3	3	35	4	5,600	...	.....	275	.....	.....	125	4	54	300	84	16	100	5	1	1	6	8	2	.....	2	755	40	.....	152
153 South Whitley	9	180	...	4	1	6	2	3,500	1	1,700	.....	.....	.....	120	2	38	212	31	53	84	8	1	1	8	8	1	55	30	744	40	.. ..	153
154 Wabash	358	521	4	6	2	24	1	18,000	1	4,000	100	.....	.....	300	1	45	500	244	56	300	35	4	4	35	21	25	204	128	539	100	400	154
155 Wabash Circ't	56	189	1	1	.....	9	4	4,400	...	.....	75	.....	.....	100	2	16	150	15	.....	15	.....	...	...	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	543	15	.....	155
156 Warren	32	256	3	2	12	11	3	4,300	1	1,000	.....	.....	.....	150	2	31	205	42	8	50	2	1	1	3	3	.....	.....	5	710	20	.....	156
157 Warsaw	41	395	3	3	8	16	1	17,000	1	3,000	.....	50	150	.....	...	.....	.....	100	100	200	30	3	2	30	15	8	47	.....	1,527	75	.....	157
158 West Point	12	150	2	3	4	14	6	11,000	...	.....	125	375	493	145	6	54	350	95	.....	95	18	1	1	18	8	.....	.....	.....	505	38	.....	158
Total	1386	6833	47	76	85	393	82	210,600	22	31,400	7,587	2,538	1,843	3,919	79	1073	7371	1,813	418	2,231	230	28	25	290	228	53	504	504	20,756	903	425	
Last year	953	6597	44	85	70	409	81	206,500	21	29,800	9,711	1,208	1,998	3,847	76	1085	6993	1,738	302	2,040	228	30	25	187	131	67	680	293	20,766	747	865	
Increase	433	236	3	...	15	.....	1	4,100	1	1,600	.....	1,330	.....	72	3	.....	378	75	116	191	2	...	...	103	97	..	.....	211	.....	156	.....	
Decrease	.....	.....	...	9	.....	16	.....	...	.....	.....	2,124	.....	155	.....	...	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	14	176	.....	10	.....	440	

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	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. PASTORS. Claims, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Receipts, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	PASTORS. Deficiencies.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Apportioned.	PRESID'G ELD'RS Paid.	BISHOPS. Apportioned.	BISHOPS. Paid.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Apportioned.	CONF. CLAIMANTS. Paid.	
	Warsaw District—											
132	Akron	H. H. Wright, ten months	$525 00*	$435 00	$90 00	$35 00	$35 00	$8 00	$8 00	$20 00	$20 00	132
133	Andrews	W. M. Nelson	770 00*	770 00		65 00	65 00	16 00	16 00	50 00	60 00	133
134	Atwood	W. W. Brown	560 00*	460 00	100 00	60 00	23 00	7 00	2 00	20 00	15 00	134
135	Bourbon	J. W. Cain	725 00*	725 00		50 00	50 00	12 00	10 00	40 00	24 00	135
136	Columbia City	W. S. Stewart	825 00*	668 00	157 00	50 00	40 00	12 00	8 00	30 00	15 00	136
137	Inwood	U. S. A. Bridge	622 00*	572 00	50 00	40 00	40 00	10 00	9 00	35 00	35 00	137
138	La Fontaine	M. H. Mott	672 00*	623 00	49 00	50 00	50 00	12 00	10 00	40 00	20 00	138
139	LaGro	L. M. Krider	720 00*	720 00		60 00	60 00	15 00	15 00	50 00	50 00	139
140	Larwill	R. H. Smith	700 00*	675 00	25 00	45 00	45 00	11 00	10 00	35 00	20 00	140
141	Macy	T. H. C. Beall	702 00*	662 00	40 00	50 00	50 00	16 00	15 00	40 00	19 00	141
142	Marion	M. Swadener	1,800 00*	1,800 00		127 00	127 00	33 00	10 00	90 00	75 00	142
143	Marion Circuit	A. Greenman	400 00	350 00	50 00	10 00	10 00	3 00	1 00	5 00	2 00	143
144	Mentone	J. N. McCurdy	680 00*	640 00	40 00	40 00	40 00	11 00	7 00	40 00	22 00	144
145	Mexico	S. C. Norris	780 00*	650 00	130 00	75 00	64 00	18 00	14 00	50 00	45 00	145
146	Mt. Etna	S. J. Mellinger	400 00	400 00		30 00	30 00	7 00	8 00	25 00	25 00	146
147	North Manchester	M. S. Marble	950 00*	950 00		75 00	75 00	19 00	19 00	50 00	56 00	147
148	North Webster	J. M. Rush	684 00*	684 00		50 00	50 00	13 00	8 00	35 00	12 00	148
149	Perrysburgh	W. E. Murray	560 00*	‡254 00	306 00	40 00	32 00	10 00	7 00	30 00	30 00	149
150	Pierceton	C. King	725 00*	610 00	115 00	55 00	55 00	13 00	2 00	40 00	20 00	150
151	Roann	J. L. Ramsay	675 00*	613 00	62 00	50 00	42 00	13 00	10 00	40 00	10 00	151
152	Silver Lake	I. W. Singer	722 00	707 00	15 00	40 00	40 00	11 00	8 00	40 00	40 00	152
153	South Whitley	E. P. Church	720 00*	670 00	50 00	60 00	60 00	16 00	14 00	40 00	40 00	153
154	Wabash	C. E. Bacon	1,400 00*	1,400 00		112 00	112 00	27 00	27 00	75 00	100 00	154
155	Wabash Circuit	G. A. Glor	500 00	500 00		35 00	35 00	8 00	8 00	25 00	15 00	155
156	Warren	A. C. Gerard	684 00*	650 00	34 00	50 00	50 00	13 00	10 00	40 00	20 00	156
157	Warsaw	D. C. Woolpert	1,400 00*	1,400 00		101 00	101 00	26 00	26 00	75 00	75 00	157
158	West Point	W. J. Gamble†	550 00	450 00	100 00	45 00	45 00	11 00	10 00	35 00	38 00	158
	Total		20,451 00	19,038 00	1,413 00	1500 00	1425 00	371 00	252 00	1095 00	903 00	
	Last year		19,749 00	19,137 00	612 00	1495 00	1401 00	281 00	244 00	1093 00	762 00	
	Increase		702 00		801 00	5 00	24 00	90 00	8 00		141 00	
	Decrease			99 00								

*Parsonages. †T. C. Neal, supply, $100. ‡7 months.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS—General Statistics, No. I.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAP'SM		CHURCH PROPERTY.								S. SCHOOLS.			BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.											MIN. SUPPORT.		
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (sexton, light, fuel, etc.)	No. of Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all Ages	FOR MISSIONS. From Churches.	From Sunday-schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-school Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	Other Collections.
Fort Wayne	1003	6094	25	78	153	437	71	$210,450	21	$32,075	$ 31,059	$4,706	$9,358	$4,230	75	1022	7224	$1565	$491	$2056	$183	$36	$33	$178	$197	$38	$648	$149	$21008	$718	$263
Goshen.	1128	5805	22	56	151	535	62	216,700	23	24,500	31,754	3,478	27,553	3,926	61	904	6149	1832	278	2110	230	55	61	224	158	23	470	393	21446	763	260
Kokomo	1362	7684	43	75	134	612	81	166,150	24	33,525	13,866	2,129	3,917	4,490	77	1040	7885	1289	415	1704	443	39	34	178	105	31	547	83	21283	630	510
Muncie	1068	7576	51	98	49	243	77	186,700	23	27,100	24.815	1,897	1,395	3,300	76	1036	7344	2804	320	3124	290	40	28	299	142	66	628	38	20617	836	952
Richmond	1051	6492	50	69	54	292	71	231,100	17	25,400	3,524	3,264	2,897	3,812	63	860	6321	1292	443	1735	306	27	21	368	91	66	665	161	19520	720	19
Warsaw	1386	6833	47	76	85	393	82	210,600	22	31,400	7,587	2,538	1,843	3,919	79	1073	7371	1813	418	2231	230	28	25	290	228	53	505	504	20756	903	425
Gr'nd total	6928	40484	238	452	626	2512	444	1,221,700	130	174,000	112,605	$18,012	46,963	23,677	431	5935	42294	10595	2365	12960	1682	225	202	1537	921	277	3462	1328	124630	4570	2429
Last year	7264	37048	246	480	583	2271	442	1,153,000	123	164,535	114,459	10,288	39,070	24,551	425	5690	39867	9939	2245	12184	1211	176	145	1141	935	344	3079	572	120335	4221	2842
Increase	.....	3136	.....	.....	43	241	2	68,700	7	9,465	.....	$7,724	7,893	.....	6	245	2427	656	120	776	471	49	57	396	.....	.....	383	756	4295	249	.....
Decrease	266	.....	8	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,854	.....	.....	874	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	67	.....	.....	.....	.....	413

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS—General Statistics, No. II.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.									
	PASTORS.			PRESIDING ELDERS.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CLAIMANTS.	
	Claims, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	Receipts, including House R'nt or Rental Value of Parsonages	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
Fort Wayne	$20,519 00	$19,307 00	$1,212 00	$1,600 00	$1,533 00	$357 00	$281 00	$1,040 00	$718 00
Goshen	19,775 00	19,775 00	.....	1,427 00	1,427 00	275 00	253 00	902 00	763 00
Kokomo	20,694 00	19,581 00	1,113 00	1,500 00	1,479 00	290 00	223 00	917 00	630 00
Muncie	19,313 00	18,859 00	454 00	1,500 00	1,450 00	352 00	318 00	1,000 00	836 00
Richmond	18,802 00	17,793 00	1,009 00	1,555 00	1,462 00	263 00	235 00	1,064 00	720 00
Warsaw	20,451 00	19,038 00	1,413 00	1,500 00	1,425 00	371 00	252 00	1,095 00	903 00
Grand total	119,554 00	114,353 00	5,201 00	9,082 00	8,776 00	1,908 00	1,562 00	6,018 00	4,570 00
Last year	114,142 00	110,359 00	4,683 00	9,009 00	8,642 00	1,503 00	1,325 00	5,825 00	4,221 00
	5,412 00	3,994 00	1,518 00	73 00	134 00	405 00	237 00	193 00	349 00

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS—General Statistics, No. III.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.									
	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all ages.	No. of Scholars in Infant Class.	Average attendance of Teachers and Scholars.	No. of Library Books.	Total Expenses of Schools this Year.	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. of Conversions in Sunday-school this year.
Fort Wayne	75	1,022	7,224	2,484	5,669	1,215	$2,308 00	829	2,597	346
Goshen	61	904	6,149	1,277	4,731	1,622	2,191 00	819	2,806	529
Kokomo	77	1,040	7,885	1,585	5,878	893	2,105 00	924	2,331	461
Muncie	74	1,036	7,344	1,558	5,755	715	2,196 00	895	2,651	203
Richmond	63	860	6,321	1,464	4,379	1,155	2,024 00	749	2,692	292
Warsaw	79	1,073	7,371	1,471	5,581	848	1,992 00	901	3,039	438
Grand total	431	5,935	42,294	9,839	32,011	6,448	12,816 00	5,117	17,116	2,269
Last year	425	5,690	39,867	10,062	28,175	7,751	11,960 00	4,843	14,505	2,832
Increase	6	245	2,427	.....	3,836	.....	856 00	274	2,611	.....
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	123	.....	1,303	.....	.....	.....	563